

TO EXPERIMENT WITH TOBACCO

Senator Wylie Proposes That \$5,000 Fund Be Set Aside Yearly.

WILCOX DENIES AN UGLY RUMOR

That He Was Offered Inducements To Desert Administration--Other Capitol News Of Interest.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.] Madison, Wis., Jan. 31.—Senator Wylie proposes, in a bill introduced in the legislature today, that the sum of \$5,000 be annually appropriated for experimentation in tobacco. The bill is introduced at the request of growers and dealers who believe that important benefits will result from scientific work in this direction.

REBELS POUR PETROLEUM IN STREETS OF WARSAW

And Wreck A Telephone Exchange--Effort of Army To Drive Japanese From Shakie River Repulsed.

[SPECIAL BY SCRIPPS-M'RAE.] Berlin, Jan. 31.—The Zeitung this morning reports that a condition of civil war exists in Warsaw. Hundreds of shops have been plundered. The rebels wrecked and poured tons of petroleum into the streets, setting it afire. The fighting around the barricades was continued throughout the night. At Izyetochom the rebels were master of the situation. The police fled and huge placards were posted announcing the establishment of a revolutionary municipal regime.

Infantry Arrives Warsaw, Jan. 31.—Two regiments of infantry and two of dragoons arrived to aid in suppressing the disturbances. The chief of police has closed the private houses to all except regular residents. There were many casualties yesterday.

Capital Is Quiet St. Petersburg, Jan. 31.—No exciting incidents occurred this morning. Sporadic disturbances continue but a hundred and thirty thousand strikers have returned to work. Several hundred of those arrested since the trouble started have been released, after having been flogged.

In the Far East Tokyo, Jan. 31.—The Japanese are strongly fortifying Heikoutai, the capture of which is believed to have materially weakened the Russian position. This will probably compel a change in the Russian front in that vicinity.

Keeping Russians Informed Mukden, Jan. 31.—It is officially reported that the wounded here number thirty-five hundred. The Japanese are systematically informing the Russian soldiers of the disturbances in Russia, hoping thereby to create dissension.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 31.—The war office admits that Kouroupin's attempt to break through the Japanese left wing and outflank Field Marshal Oyama's position on the Shakie river has proved an utter failure.

The Orientals have answered the Russian advance with a counter offensive movement, although showing no great disposition to carry the war into the enemy's territory. General C...

DEVELOPMENTS IN SCHAEFER CASE

[SPECIAL BY SCRIPPS-M'RAE.] Bedford, Ind., Jan. 31.—In the Schaefer hearing today Henry Eaton, a quarryman, swore that he was acquainted with the defendants, Evans and Browning. He said Evans wore a moustache prior to the Schaefer murder. The witness identified the bloody clothing as having been worn by Browning. He said he knew Browning took "Dude" Cook buggy-riding on the day she testified he died. Witness had seen Evans about Julia Cook's house before and after the murder.

Unclean Bread. English newspaper correspondents are complaining of the disgustingly unclean treatment of bread on its way from the baker to the consumer.

Polishing Glass. A high luster will be given to glass if wiped with a paste made of alcohol and whiting.

Buy it in Janesville.

MAN IS KILLED BY DYNAMITE

Explosion Follows Warming of Stick, Six Persons Being Badly Hurt. Toledo, Ohio, Jan. 31.—While preparing to blast frozen iron ore in the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton yards a workman was warming a stick of dynamite, when it caught fire, setting ablaze the shop in which a quantity of dynamite caps were stored. A terrific explosion followed, instantly killing Joseph Bogaj and seriously injuring six others.

King May Abdicate. Copenhagen, Jan. 31.—A dispatch from Stockholm reports that King Oscar of Norway and Sweden is contemplating abdication in favor of the crown prince, Gustaf. The king, it is said, is considering the step on account of age and ill-health.

Dies Defending Brother. Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 31.—While defending his younger brother from the attack of John Cahill, 13 years old, Willie Mack, aged 13, was stabbed to death by his brother's assailant.

Vacations for Employees. Washington, Jan. 31.—Representative Connell of Pennsylvania introduced a bill granting thirty days' annual leave, with full pay, to clerks and employees of first and second-class postoffices.



Uncle Sam: "My me! How you have grown, and how fine you are looking!"

CLAIMS TITLES TO LAKE SHORELAND

New York Man Will Give Quit Claim Deed to Property Outside Government Survey Line.

New York, Jan. 31.—Samuel Biddison of 49 Broadway has made claim to the title of land on the shore of Lake Michigan in the states of Michigan, Wisconsin, Illinois and Indiana outside the government survey line established in 1805 and 1821. There are hundreds of thousands of acres, valued at approximately \$200,000,000. Some of the land included in the title claim made by Mr. Biddison is "made land," land that has been filled in, while still a greater acreage is under water a few feet.

Among the corporations occupying land upon which the government makes absolutely no claim, owing to the official survey, are such as the Standard Oil company through its adjuncts, the United States Steel company through subsidiary companies, the Illinois Central Railroad company, the Electric Light and Power company of Muskegon county and fifty or more other corporations, including docking companies, lumber companies and elevators for grain.

Within a short time, Mr. Biddison said, a corporation will be formed and this concern will be given by him a quitclaim deed to all the land and will give like deeds to all who desire them.

SPARKS FROM THE WIRES

The village jail at Ladysmith, Wis., burned and the only inmate, who is supposed to have been Thomas Stock of Turtle Lake, perished.

Byron Sullivan, aged 9 years, fell down the basement stairs at a public school building in Washington, Ind., and dislocated his neck.

Zeb Hatfield was captured in the country southeast of Paxton, Ill., and fined in the county court \$100 and costs for bootlegging whisky at Clarence.

Frank Furlong, 16 years old, who has been on trial nearly a week in New York, charged with the murder of his aunt, Mrs. Margaret Koeler, was found guilty of murder in the first degree.

Francis O'Connor, a farmer residing southeast of Webster City, Iowa, committed suicide by cutting his throat with a razor. He was sleeping with his father, O'Connor and his wife had separated.

Governor Pennypacker of Pennsylvania honored the requisition of Governor Higgins for the extradition of Gessler Rosseau, who is wanted at New York for sending an infernal machine to the dock of the steamship Umbria.

The police committee of the grand jury at San Francisco reports that it has evidence of a regularly organized system of police corruption in Chinatown, that it has in its possession bribe money which has actually passed and the confessions of several police officers.

PRESIDENT FAVORS UNIFORM DIVORCE

Law, and Urges Co operation of States in His Message to Congress.

Washington, Jan. 31.—President Roosevelt has declared himself in favor of uniform divorce laws, with a view to checking what he regards as an evil of vital concern to the country. He sent the following message to congress, urging legislation for the collection of statistics as a preliminary to co-operation by the states:

"To the Senate and House of Representatives: I call the attention of congress to the fact that no statistics have been collected by the federal government upon the subject of marriage and divorce since the year 1886, and that but few of the states have provision for the collection of such statistics.

"The institution of marriage is, of course, at the very foundation of our social organization, and all influences that affect that institution are of vital concern to the people of the whole country. There is a widespread conviction that the divorce laws are dangerously lax and indifferently administered in some of the states, resulting in a diminishing regard for the sanctity of the marriage relation.

"The hope is entertained that co-operation among the several states can be secured, to the end that there may be enacted, upon the subject of marriages and divorce, uniform laws, containing all possible safeguards for the security of the family. Intelligent and prudent action in that direction will be greatly promoted by securing reliable and trustworthy statistics upon marriage and divorce. I deem the matter of sufficient general importance to recommend that the director of the census be authorized by appropriate legislation to collect and publish statistics pertaining to that subject, covering the period from 1886 to the present time.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

Lax Corporation Laws. Washington, Jan. 31.—The president sent a message to the senate calling attention to the laxity of corporation laws in the District of Columbia and the need of legislation in that connection. The president quotes from a report of the attorney general "that in the last two years there have been incorporated under the law of the District of Columbia 2,211 companies, with a total authorized capital of nearly four billions of dollars. Many of the companies represent no actual investment and may be used by unscrupulous persons to perpetrate fraud. One person presented in one day for filing articles of incorporation for fifty-four companies, in each of which the same three persons were named as trustees. The authorized capital proposed was over \$200,000,000."

The president says: "The right of incorporation ought to be suspended at once until congress can devise proper legislation for guarding its exercise. Moreover, measures ought to be taken to annul the charters which have already been issued."

THROWN BACKWARD FROM A CUTTER

Mrs. R. C. Denison Was Insensible When Picked Up, in Road, Saturday Night.

As Mrs. R. C. Denison attempted to get into a cutter with Rev. Denison, after a visit at the hospital Saturday evening, the horse gave a sudden bound which threw her backward into the road, and started on a mad race down the avenue. It was several minutes before Rev. Denison could gain control of the animal and return. When he was able to do so he found his wife lying insensible in the road. While he was carrying her to the hospital consciousness returned and she asked him to take her home. Medical assistance was called and the family were up nearly all night, fearing that she had sustained permanent injuries. She was much better Sunday morning and has continued to improve since that time.

KING'S DAUGHTER WAS NOT IMMUNE

Princess Victoria, Daughter of Edward VII., Operated On for Appendicitis.

[SPECIAL BY SCRIPPS-M'RAE.] London, Jan. 31.—Princess Victoria, King Edward's daughter, was successfully operated on for appendicitis this morning.

Boats More Fatal Than Storms. It was declared at Edinburgh recently that more fishermen were drowned from the custom of wearing long boots than by all the storms.

STATE NOTES

Following the announcement of the appointment by Judge Belden of the divorce granted Lina B. McDowell from Dr. F. H. B. McDowell at Racine comes the news of their remarriage yesterday.

N. J. Schumacher, one of six men arrested at Kenosha for implication in the murder of John Wren at Trevor on Christmas day, has been released on his own recognizance, having turned state's evidence and made a full statement to the district attorney.

The county board of Calumet county has appointed Andrew Thiel as county treasurer to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Henry Schley. George Howitt, a lawyer, was robbed by professional holdup men near the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul freight depot in Pewaukee, of his watch and \$8.

The residence of Henry Wehmhoff, five miles south of Burlington, was burned Sunday afternoon, the fire starting from a chimney. The loss was about \$2,500, with \$800 insurance.

Herbert L. Shourer of Kenosha has been appointed general superintendent of the Chicago Brass works, to succeed the late Frederick L. Tinsworth, who died a week ago. Supt. Shearer has been in the employ of the company for several years.

Transplant Trees at Night. Trees transplanted at night are more likely to live than those transplanted in daylight.

BEEF COMBINE IS STRANGLED

Federal Supreme Court Holds Packers' Agreements Are In Restraint of Trade.

ARE NOW LIABLE TO A HEAVY FINE

Must Resume Business On A Competitive Basis Or Pay \$5,000 For Each Offense.

Washington, Jan. 31.—The United States supreme court Monday handed down a decision by the terms of which the beef trust is held to be a combination in restraint of trade. Judge Grosscup's injunction restraining the trust from engaging in certain specific acts, which are held to be violations of the law, was made permanent. The supreme court slightly modified the original order of the circuit court by striking out a generalization which, according to the higher tribunal, put the whole conduct of the defendant's business in peril of a summons for contempt. The supreme court thus extends protection to the legitimate and lawful practices of the trust and its constituent properties. On the other hand, it sharply defines what it deems to be unlawful practices, adhering closely to the line of accusation presented by Attorney General Moody upon the occasion of his argument before the court a few weeks ago. One very extraordinary feature of the opinion, which was written and read by Associate Justice Holmes, was its declaration that the packers enjoy remunerative advantages through owning and operating private cars, followed by a frank admission that the court saw nothing reprehensible in such advantages.

Points in Beef Decision. The supreme court lays special stress upon the processes of the beef trust, which are held to be violations of law—the combinations among its purchasers to refrain from bidding against each other for cattle, its secret agreements as to prices that shall be charged for dressed beef by the consumer, its blacklist against dealers who fail to conform to its ironclad rules and its uniform charges for cartage. The court says also that the beef trust enjoys a substantial income from rebates which it compels the railroads to pay for the privilege of carrying its products.

The contention of the packers, as presented by their counsel, that the charges against them were not specific and therefore ought to be thrown out is met by the following language: "The scheme alleged is so vast that it presents a new problem in pleading, its size makes the violation of the law more conspicuous, and yet the same thing makes it impossible to fasten the principal fact to a certain time and place. The elements, too, are so numerous and shifting even the constituent parts are, and from their nature must be, so extensive in time and space that something of the same possibility applies to them. The law has been upheld, and therefore we are bound to enforce it notwithstanding these difficulties."

The most remarkable feature of the decision is the fact that the court sustains every allegation which the attorney general brought against the packers. It holds that the trust's acts in fixing the prices of cattle on the hoof, creating fictitious markets for the purpose of stimulating large shipments, entering into secret agreements to fix the prices of beef to the consumer, blacklisting dealers, establishing and maintaining peculiar rules of credit and other acts complained of are violations of the anti-trust law. The packers, it is admitted, are now, in the nature of things, bound immediately to dissolve their agreements and resume business on a competitive basis under pain of being fined \$5,000 for each offense they may commit against the injunction of the court.

FOUR GIRLS ARE BARRED OUT

Missouri Legislature to Investigate State University Affairs.

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 31.—The house, after considerable debate, adopted a resolution presented by J. Johnson of Pulaski county to investigate the state university. The resolution alleged that the girls' dormitory building, which cost \$40,000, was being used as a society headquarters instead of a home for poor girl attending the university. The appointment of an investigation committee was ordered.

Christ Sabbe was arrested and held in \$1,000 bail. His supposed confederate is not yet found.

MACHEN LOSES HIS APPEAL AND WILL BE IMPRISONED

Will Serve Two Years In Jail For Conspiracy To Defraud The United States Government.

Washington, Jan. 31.—By the decision of the United States supreme court Monday in denying the application of Machen, Lorenz and Groff for a writ of certiorari in the case charging the government in connection with the postoffice department irregularities, the accused are practically found irrevocably guilty as charged. The decision of the court of appeals of the District of Columbia is thereby sustained.

Machen, Lorenz and the Groffs were sentenced to two years' imprisonment and to pay a fine of \$10,000 each. Yield to the inevitable.

There will be no further effort to delay the execution of the sentence of the district supreme court, from which the defendants appealed successfully to the district court of appeals and then to the supreme court of the United States. Charles A. Douglas, the attorney for Machen, said that there was nothing to do now but to yield to the inevitable.

"There is no further recourse," he said. "Of course we could delay the execution of the sentence, but that would be to delay the justice of the law."

Ends Notable Case. The persons affected by the refusal of the court to take cognizance of the case are August W. Machen, formerly superintendent of free delivery in the postoffice department; George E. Lorenz, Diller B. Groff and Samuel A. Groff. They were jointly indicted in June, 1903, the particular charge being the sale of letter box fasteners to the government by the Groffs, through Machen, at the price of \$1.25 each, when they were really worth only 75 cents. Lorenz was accused of collecting 40 per cent of the amount paid to the Groffs for the benefit of himself and Machen.

REV. VAUGHAN ON TIMELY SUBJECT

SPOKE ON "RUSSIA AND PRICE
OF LIBERATION."

PRELUDE TO SUNDAY SERMON

Able and Interesting Discourse by
Local Divine on Russian
Revolution.

As a prelude to his evening sermon on "The Proof of the Love of God," Rev. R. M. Vaughan spoke on "Russia and the Price of Liberation." The address on that subject counting just one week after the first evidence of an actual uprising against the despotic government in the land of the Czar proved most interesting and timely. Rev. Vaughan said:

Russia stands to the forefront of public interest. For months we have watched the struggle for supremacy in the Far East. While our sympathies have not been with Russia in that struggle we have not forgotten our ancient friendship. We have not forgotten the encouragement given our fathers in the war of independence, the moral support which came from the presence of the Russian fleet in New York harbor in the darkest days of the Civil War, the sale to us, largely from motives of friendship, of the imperial province of Alaska.

Despite all differences in forms of political organization, between America and Russia there is the instructive mutual recognition of great destinies. We believe in the future of Russia. The fresh, vital Slavic people are to have a large part in human affairs. Beginning with small boundaries Russia has grown to be the largest empire with contiguous territories on earth, extending from the Baltic to the Pacific, the North Pole to the mountains of Armenia. Already 140,000,000 people are under the flag of the white czar. And, thanks to the Russian empire, the population has an annual surplus of 2,000,000 souls. The Slavs have the physical basis of greatness. An American statesman who has traveled widely within their empire, declares them to be the greatest race of human vitality on the globe. And men like Leo Tolstoy are proof alike of the intellectual capacity of the Russian and his limitless idealism.

The most superficial study of Russia confirms the words of the prophet of the Holy Synod, "Russia is not a state; Russia is a world." It is true that Russia is belated in her progress. Her government is an absolutism and ignorance and superstition are rife within her borders. But historical conditions help to explain some things. Russia has stood far to the east, bulwark to western Europe against the invasions of Asiatic hordes. And how long is it that our forefathers occupied the same place of culture? There was plenty of bigotry among them a few generations ago. Henry VIII had things much his own way. Louis XIV certainly did. The father of William Shakespeare could not write his name. And it is very recent history the whipping of Obediah Holmes on Boston Common by the authorities of Massachusetts for the crime of being a Baptist. Russia is belated, but that is all. And the day of awakening has come.

This is the plight of absolute governments. If they do not educate their people they cannot compete with progressive nations; if they do educate their people, there will be discontent and revolution. In either event the absolute government goes down. The schools of Japan are driving Russia out of Manchuria. The Japanese armies are fighting, not the battles of the island empire only, they are fighting the battles of the common people of Russia. And as Washington freed England as well as the colonies by the defeat of British armies, so do the victories of Japan serve to discredit the Russian autocracy and strengthen the forces of emancipation.

There is in this country, on a brief visit, a gray haired Russian woman by the name of Catherine Borezhkovsky. She was the daughter of a nobleman. Her mother taught her the moral precepts of the gospel of Jesus and the passion of reform possessed the heart of the Russian girl. She joined the revolutionary party. Twenty-three years she has spent as an exile in Siberia. But she tells us that the workers for the new day for Russia are thoroughly organized and hard at work. Four hundred thousand are banded together to liberate Russia, millions sympathize with them, and when the popular uprising comes,

the old regime will go forever. One week ago a delegation of working people determined to lay their grievances before "the little father," as they affectionately call the czar. They represented political as well as industrial aspirations. Headed by Gapon, a priest who bore a golden cross, they made their way to the winter palace. They were unarmed, there were women and children among them. Did they receive an audience? Were they heard? The Cossacks shot them down by hundreds. The snows of St. Petersburg were reddened by their blood. The event was not wholly unexpected. Gapon had thought it possible, but he believed that death under such circumstances would serve the cause of liberty. He knew, as all the students of history know, that the price of liberation is sacrifice.

It will not be in vain. Probably the soldiers will crush down the uprising of the work people. But though the revolutions of 1848 were put down in Europe, constitutions were granted shortly afterwards. The Russians who fell before the winter palace have not died in vain. No sacrifice for the right is ever in vain. It becomes one of the vital forces of history to work out the liberation of men. And when Russia takes her place among the Christian democracies of the twentieth century, or the twenty-first, or the twenty-fifth, it will be plain to the student of her history that the price of her liberation was the toil and agony and blood of her martyrs.

It is everywhere the price of progress. Were our own liberties gained without a price? We have the right of petition, freedom of conscience, liberty of speech, political equality. We are a Christian democracy. But all our privileges have been paid for by sacrifice. The heroic struggle of the Swedes under Adolphus preserved the Protestantism which has helped to make our modern world. The Dutch in their terrible conflict with the Spaniards under Alva wrought for us. The Puritans who overthrew the Stuart Dynasty, dying many of them, at Naseby and Marston Moor bequeathed us their achievements. The soldiers of Washington who left bloody footprints in the snows at Valley Forge suffered that we might be free. The men who sleep in the cemeteries at Arlington and Gettysburg and Chancellorsville died to preserve the union for us.

Religion itself advances only through sacrifice. The truths which mould and comfort and inspire us have been defined and transmitted through the pain of broken friendships, the service of love, and the death of martyrs. Was not Abraham an exile? Did not Moses give up a splendid career to ally himself with slaves? Did not Jeremiah languish in a dungeon? Was not Stephen stoned because he declared that the old order changed yielding place to new? Did they not hunt William Tyndale like a wild beast because he translated the Bible into English? Did they not drive Roger Williams into the wilderness at the dead of winter because he advocated a free church in a free state?

The truth that the price of liberation is sacrifice has its supreme expression in the cross of Jesus. His cross is not an isolated, inexplicable fact. It is the unapproachable expression of the only redemptive force anywhere at work in history, the sacrifice of self or the sake of others. The heroic company of men and women who count not their lives dear to themselves that Russia may be free are modern interpreters of the cross. But life may be given in service as well as in death. It may be harder to live for others than to die for them. Whoever in any land sets through sacrifice to bring in the better day is inheritor of the spirit of Jesus of Galilee.

"In the beauty of the lilies Christ was born across the sea,

With a glory in his bosom that transfigures you and me;

As he died to make men holy, let us die to make men free,

While God is marching on."

DANIEL D. BENNETT IS HUMANE OFFICER

Appointed by Governor To Succeed
S. B. Kenyon—Terrible Case
of Suffering Reported.

Daniel D. Bennett of this city has been selected by Governor La Follette as city humane officer to succeed S. B. Kenyon, resigned. The members of the Humane society are much pleased with the appointment, feeling certain that Mr. Bennett will prove a painstaking and efficient officer. Mr. Bennett will enter upon his active duties today, having been called upon to investigate the cases of the two horses burned by walking in slaked lime near the sugar factory some time ago. It is reported that the poor beasts have been in terrible agony in a South Main street barn and that the flesh has been falling from the bones in places.

DEATH SUMMONED

J. FRANK POORMAN

Methodist Pastor Suddenly Passed
Away Last Evening at Home
on South Academy Street.

Last evening at 7:00 o'clock Rev. J. Frank Poorman was called from this world by the angel of death at his home, 213 South Academy street. The deceased was ill for several months with Bright's disease and his end came after a sudden change for the worse. J. Frank Poorman was born in Humboldt, Boies county, and was fifty-four years of age. He removed to this city about five years ago and here has won the respect and esteem of a large circle of friends. Rev. Poorman was formerly a Methodist minister, but has not preached as pastor of a congregation for a number of years. There is left to mourn his loss a wife and a daughter, Miss Iva Poorman, both of this city.

That dry, rasping cough is not necessary. Dry's Cough will relieve and cure it.

TOGA IS SAID TO HANG IN BALANCE

IF SENATE DOES NOT PASS ER-
VINE RAILROAD BILL.

LA FOLLETTE WILL REMAIN

At His Post and Continue at Head of
Fight in This State—Test
Comes This Week.

Madison, Wis., Jan. 31.—The first test of the question whether or not Governor La Follette controls the state assembly absolutely for the passage of his anti-railroad measures will come within the present week on the Ervine bill to extend back from two to six years the time for which the state can sue to collect unpaid railroad taxes. The measure was introduced and railroaded through the assembly last Thursday under suspension of the rules and messaged over to the senate last night, but contrary to expectations, there was no attempt made to hustle the act through the upper house and it was referred to the committee on judiciary, of which Senator Kreutzer, a stalwart, is chairman. He declared last night, however, that he would have a meeting of the committee at once and would offer no obstacles to its immediate consideration. Several railroad attorneys and legislative representatives are on hand and it is said they will appear before the committee in opposition to the bill.

If defeated What Then? This measure has a far better chance in the senate than have the other administration propositions, and should this be defeated it is said to be a "clinch" that Governor La Follette will hand back the United States senatorship to the legislature. Some senators who believe in what the governor would call mildness toward the railroads are for the present measure because they say that if the roads have not paid their fair taxes no state of limitations should stop the state from attempting to recover. If this measure should fail there is little hope, if any, for the more radical bills that are to follow. In that case, it is said, the governor would continue at the head of his fight in this state.

To Raise Salaries

Senator Stevens wants the legislature to get more money for their services. He believes that the work of making the laws of the commonwealth should be a paltry \$500 a session, as now allowed by the state constitution. Last night he introduced a joint resolution taking the initiative for an amendment of section 27, article 4, of the constitution and raising the salaries of the members of the legislature from \$500 to \$1,000 a session. No change is proposed in the present provision of ten cents a mile for travel.

Session of Senate

At the opening session of the senate for the week last night Senators Bird, Balon, Hagemeister, Hatten, Johnson, Munson, Noble, North, Smith, Wilcox, Wiperman and Wolf were absent. In the absence of Lieutenant Governor Davidson, President pro tem McGillivray presided. Rev. Father Fisher offered the customary prayer. Senators Stout and Beach presented various petitions in favor of the passage of the anti-gambling bill. The Ervine bill from the assembly, providing for additional legislative employees, was ordered to a third reading on a division of the senate, four members, Senators Randolph, Stout, Whitehead and Roehr voting against it.

Ten New Bills

Ten new bills were introduced, as follows: By Senator Kreutzer—Increasing the jurisdiction of the county judge of Marathon county; by Senator Wright—Relating to school bonds of the city of Rhinelander; by Senator Froemming—Conferring on the county board of Milwaukee county power to alter and regulate the salaries and duties of clerks appointed by the district attorney; by Senator Stout—Providing that no intoxicating liquors shall be sold within 400 feet of any public or parochial school but the proposed law not to apply to drugstores; by Senator Morris—Making a penal offense of the making of false statements for the purpose of getting credit; by Senator Morris—Providing that at least one member of a school board shall be a woman; by Senator Roehr—Providing for the further education of the blind; by Huddell—Creating the town of Fallon, in Burnett county; by Huddell—Giving the right to acquire land by condemnation actions, the same as cities and village boards, to the localities at the suggestion of the Madison Park and Pleasure Drive association; by Huddell—To change the saloon license year in the city of Superior from May 1 to July 1.

To have most delicious, brown cakes for breakfast, mix only cold water with Mrs. Austin's Pancake Flour. All grocers.

ELGIN BUTTER MARKET

(Special Telegram.)
Elgin, Ill., Jan. 30.—No sales nor offerings today. Butter was firm at 29c; output, 450,200 pounds.

DESTROY THE CAUSE.

You Cannot Cure Dandruff Without
Destroying the Cause of It.
Many people wash their scalps Saturday night or Sunday to try to keep the dandruff down for the week, but on Monday night the scalp has begun to itch, and Tuesday morning will find a good supply of dandruff when the hair is brushed. There is but one real scientific way of curing dandruff; and that is to kill the germ that causes it, and falling hair, and finally baldness. There is only one preparation that will destroy the germ, and that is Newbro's Herpicide. It is an entirely new discovery and the only hair preparation that is based on the new scientific principle. In addition Herpicide is a very refreshing hair dressing for regular toilet use. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

TWO LOCAL YOUNG LADIES WILL ACT

Miss Euretta Kimball and Miss Elizabeth McKee Take Parts in
Varsity Theatricals.

In the cast of characters for the play that will be presented this year by the Edwin Booth and Red Domino dramatic clubs of the state university are two Jansville young ladies. Miss Euretta Kimball will play in the role of a society miss, and Miss Elizabeth McKee as a servant girl. The play will take rank as an "after prom" event in the society of the university, it being presented the evening after the junior "prom." The two clubs, the former composed entirely of gentlemen and the latter of young ladies, will present jointly "Trelawny of the Wells" at the Fuller opera-house on the evening of Saturday, February 18. The event will be one of the greatest in the social life of the institution and during that week in which it will be staged, ranks second only to the junior "prom."

Cast of Characters
Following is the cast of characters: Sir William Gower, chancellor—A. H. Johnston; Arthur Gower, his grandson—W. G. Darling; Mr. Teifer, an old school actor—Rowland Hill; Ferdinand Gadd, tragedian—A. L. Persons; Augustus Colpoys, low comedian—E. W. Hoffman; Tom Wrench, utility man—P. H. Schram; Ablett, grocer—O'Dwyer, stage manager—A. G. Arnold; Captain de Poenix—C. S. Brown; Charles, servant—F. V. Bartlett; Rose Trelawny, actress at the Wells—Miss Marion Lamont; Isogen Parrott, of the Olympia—Selma Vogt; Avonia Benn, of the Wells—Margaret Frankenburg; Mrs. Teifer, of the Wells—Elsie L. Adams; Mrs. Mossop, landlady—Genevieve Scott; Miss Trelawny Gower—Euretta Kimball; Maud—Agnes Walsh; Clara de Poenix—Grace Ellis; Sarah, servant girl—Elizabeth McKee.

Thorough Preparation

Elaborate arrangements are being made for the presentation of the play. The management is sparing neither pains nor expense to make the production a success, not only from a financial standpoint but from the view of the dramatic critic. The cast of characters has been made with a view to this latter end, and those proficient in the work have been chosen. Both clubs are made up of students admitted to membership only on account of ability on the stage, and this assures a high class production. Instruction and assistance in the rehearsals are being given by Prof. Frankenburg, Miss Lamont, and E. J. Southwick. Mr. Southwick, a former actor, is the chief director of the present production. Rehearsals are being held daily.

Jansville Young Ladies

While students at the high school in this city Miss Kimball was among the most prominent declaimers who ever represented the school in any contest and Miss Elizabeth McKee, though not attaining the height in declamatory work reached by Miss Kimball, took most ably one of the leading parts in "The Bicyclers," the play presented by the class of 1903 at graduation time. Miss Kimball but once won the medal in declamations in the local contest, but took several first places in the league and district contests during those years which she attended the high school. Three times she represented the Whitewater district in the state declamatory contests at Madison and each time ranked high though never winning first place in the state. Two years ago when the Harescent and Red Domino dramatic clubs presented a play jointly, Miss Kimball was selected as a member of the cast of characters and this year, though not taking a leading role, is one of the ablest actors in the cast.

Pride Hard to Understand.

"I can't understand," said Uncle Eben, "how it is that some folks can be too proud to work and at the same time humble enough to let de family give 'em board and lodgin' free."—Baltimore American.

Bonaparte's House Now a Barn.

Longwood, Bonaparte's house in St. Helena, is now a barn. The room in which he died is a stable. On the site of his former grave is a machine for grinding corn.

Certificate Reextending Charter,

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
Office of Comptroller of the
Currency.

Washington, D. C., January 13, 1905.
WHEREAS, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The Rock County National Bank of Jansville," located in the city of Jansville in the county of Rock and the state of Wisconsin, has complied with all the provisions of the Act of Congress "To enable National Banking Associations to extend their corporate existence, and for other purposes," approved July 12, 1882, as amended by the Act, approved April 12, 1892;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Thomas P. Kane, Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "The Rock County National Bank of Jansville," located in the City of Jansville in the county of Rock and state of Wisconsin, is authorized to have succession for the period specified in its amended articles of association; namely, until close of business on January 13, 1925.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and Seal of office this Tenth day of January, 1905.

T. P. KANE,
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CHARTER NO. 743.
Extension No. 457.

When you feel a sense of weight and oppression after meals it means indigestion. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea positively cures indigestion, constipation and stomach troubles. 35 cents, ten or tablets. Smith Drug Co.

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OLD CROSS-ROAD SCHOOLS DOOMED

LIGHT IS BREAKING IN NEARBY
STATE OF IOWA.

PALATIAL CENTRAL BUILDINGS

With Modern Equipment Are Being
Erected in Consolidated Rural Dis-
tricts—Wagons Carry Pupils.

Many residents of Rock county, who have for years championed consolidation as the only solution for the rural school problem, will be interested in the most successful outcome of the experiment in Poland township, Buena Vista county, in the neighboring state of Iowa, whose various subdivisions have for more than a year been consolidated with the town district of Marathon. As a result, a fine \$20,000 school building offers unusual educational facilities for all the school children of the country districts about Marathon, and without practically any extra expense. Instead of attending little cross-roads schools, miserably equipped and presided over most of the time by incompetent teachers, the farmer boys and girls have the instruction of a corps of nine or ten teachers, the best of equipment and the advantage of courses that take them through complete high school work. The consolidation of the five country districts surrounding Marathon was effected in April, 1903, by a vote of all the districts concerned. Bonds were voted for the erection of a new school building and in the succeeding November the fine new structure was occupied. The country districts furnish about a hundred of the pupils enrolled in the school, a much greater number than attended the old cross-roads schools, and their attendance is more regular. The educational benefits have already been marked and there is but one opinion in the township as to the success of the plan.

Wagons Carry Children

The country children are transported to and from school by five fine covered wagons, completely covered and provided with every protection against storm. The drivers' contracts are let to reputable parties at \$7.50 each for four of them, and \$45 per month for the fifth. These drivers are required to furnish safe teams and harness, plenty of blankets and robes and to make the trips punctually. They are also required to contract to avoid profane language, and the use of tobacco, and to refrain from fast driving. They sustain to the pupils during the trips precisely the same relations that the teachers do in the school room. Owing to the fact that about ninety of the pupils are required on account of the distance to bring their lunches, a room is set apart for their use. The consolidation was arranged by concurrent action of the school boards of the independent district of Marathon and the directors of Poland township, of which Marathon is the geographical center. Five of the subdivisions desired to be consolidated with the city schools and the union was effected by petition in April, 1903. Bonds were voted for the erection of a new school house.

Libraries and Books

The new building is a \$20,000 one and the country children have access to the complete school library of twelve hundred volumes, consisting of fiction, literary, historical, scientific and juvenile works. In connection with the library is also a magazine table which contains the best periodicals. The central school has been in operation now over a year and during that time no unfavorable condition has arisen and much benefit has resulted to the country pupils. The superintendent of the school, E. C. Roberts, has nine able assistants, all of them graduates of normal and training schools, and this fact with the advantage of superior text-books and a well graded course of study makes the wisdom of the plan apparent.

Yes, AUSTIN'S Famous Pancake Flour made from the three great staples of life: wheat, corn and rice.

PLEASE RECITAL BY HOWARD WELLS.

Schumann Club and Their Friends
Delighted with Work of Chi-
cago Artist.

Howard Wells of Chicago charmed the Schumann club members and their guests with a recital given at Library hall last evening. One of the most captivating numbers was the Schumann "Carnival," a difficult composition played in a masterly manner. The Pastorale and Capriccio of Schumann-Tansig, the Schubert-Liszt "Du bist die Ruh" in which the musician's vocal powers were shown to full advantage, the St. Saers Etude Op. 52, and the Chopin group were especially pleasing. This was Mr. Wells' second appearance before the club, he having given a recital here about a year ago. The program was as follows:

Schumann-Tansig—Pastorale, Capriccio
Schumann—Carnival, Op. 9
Chopin—Preludes Nos. 20, 1 and 6
Chopin—Waltz in E Minor
(a) Schubert-Liszt
(b) Heller—Prelude, Op. 51, No. 3
(c) Rubinstein-Barcarolle, G Minor
(d) St. Saens—Etude, Op. 52
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SHIRT WAIST CLUB DANCE LAST NIGHT

Was Attended by Fifty Couples—
Sixth in the Series To Be Given
on February 13.

Last evening the Business Suit and Shirt Waist club enjoyed the fifth dancing party in a series at Central hall. Lake's orchestra of four pieces presided over the destinies of the dancers and the merrymaking was continued until a late hour. The next event of the kind will be held on February 13. The members of this unique organization are: Messrs. J. P. Thorne, W. D. Merritt, F. B. Farnsworth, O. A. Oestreich, H. A. Lord, W. S. Jeffris, Frank H. Baack, Fred H. Howe, C. R. Showalter, H. D. Murdoch, L. H. Farnsworth, J. B. Stevens, C. A. Muggleton, M. C. Fish, H. W. McNamara, E. J. Smith, E. B. Heimstreet, W. A. Johnson, E. D. Roberts, J. H. Jones, W. S. Pond, J. F. Worendyke, C. J. Myhr, F. S. Baines, Edwin C. Bailey, M. R. Osborne, Wm. Ruger, Geo. E. King, E. M. Hughman, Percy Munger, F. B. Ehlh, P. B. Child, H. S. McGiffen, R. R. Powell, E. D. McGowan, Geo. Thomas, G. W. Skelly, C. V. Kerch, T. O. Howe, J. B. Dearborn, F. A. Capelle, A. C. Pond, R. H. Barlow, N. L. Carie, F. C. Burnee, F. C. Grant, Walter Helms, S. F. Hutchinson, Will P. Sayles, C. N. Van Kirk, W. H. Michaels, P. A. Taylor, Geo. S. Parker, R. W. Edden, W. H. Ashcraft, Sanford Soverhill, W. T. Sherer, F. H. Blodgett, M. C. Jeffris, Peter L. Myers, J. F. Sweeney, H. M. Edwards, P. J. Mouat.

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WANTED—Intelligent young man to call on grocery trade. Must be honest, furnish good references and bond. Address Green Bay Soap Company, Green Bay, Wis.

MRS. E. McCarthy, 276 W. Milwaukee street, will furnish help in about twelve. She is a native of Ireland, and is looking for a good home for confessions and cigars. Now phone No. 915, old phone 412.

TRIMMERS WANTED—Trimmers at once on automobile and carriages. See the Janesville News, Green Bay, Wis.

WANTED—Experienced shop letter at our Waterbury factory. Steady work guaranteed. Special inducements offered to good workmen. Write to Waterbury Shoe Co.

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WANTED—Six ladies, to select; at a day's short notice, pleasant work. Call at 20 N. Jackson street, at once.

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WANTED—Orders for dressed poultry. No. 6 Gore St. Phone 877.

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The smoke loss from a fire in MacCabe's department store at Rock Island, Ill., is estimated at \$40,000.

Forty Years Ago...

Janesville Daily Gazette, Tuesday, January 31, 1865.—Don't Put Ashes in the Street.—There is a very bad practice common with many doing business on the main streets in our city of putting or allowing to put ashes in the streets, thus allowing the streets to be littered up with unsightly heaps of rubbish, and ruining the places, when there is any. If there were no back alleys or convenient places in the rear of the business blocks to deposit the refuse there might be more excuse for thus disfiguring the main thoroughfares. As it is, however, it must be set down to downright slovenliness.

Fourth Ward Draft Meeting.—At a meeting held in the court room on the 30th inst., the following resolutions were passed:

That the books of the Association be kept open for the subscriptions until Saturday, the fourteenth of February and after that no subscriptions be received, and those who have subscribed and paid to the treasurer shall constitute a club for the mutual protection against the draft.

An adjourned meeting of the club will be held this, Tuesday, evening at the court room at 7 o'clock. The better, for there is not a word of members of the club and those who wish to join are requested to be present.

Rock County National Bank of Janesville.—It will be seen by reference to our advertising columns that the bank heretofore doing business in this city under the name of the Rock County Bank, has organized under the act of Congress to provide a National currency, and will henceforth transact business under the name of the Rock County National Bank of Janesville. This institution so admirably managed hitherto will lose none of its friends by its organization under the national system.

Three Horses Drowned.—Three horses of Mr. Ford of Indian Ford, were drowned on the 23rd inst. They walked out onto the ice to procure a drink when it broke and let them in. None of them were rescued.

Not True.—A rumor gained currency on the streets today that an order had been received at the office of Provost Marshal to discontinue the Easterns until further notice. Charges of boodle and corruption among the aldermen and other officials will be investigated. The finding of the grand jury is awaited with great anxiety by all citizens here.

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Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 31.—Two wildcats threw every town and hundreds of homes in the San Bernardino valley into total darkness for two hours. Between Ontario and Azusa the romping beasts sped up a pole carrying the high tension wires of the Pacific Lighting company, got mixed among the lines, and caused a short circuit of 15,000 voltage. It took a long time to locate the trouble and turn the current on the reserve wires. The incinerated bodies of the cats were found among the cross-arms of the pole, where electrocution had ended their frolic.

BOODLERS IN ILLINOIS TOWN

Special Grand Jury Called to Investigate Charges Made.

Jacksonville, Ill., Jan. 31.—The city was thrown into a state of great excitement by the calling of a special grand jury by Judge Owen P. Thompson for the purpose of investigating charges of malfeasance in office of city officials. The personnel of the jury includes some of Jacksonville's best citizens, who will conduct a rigid investigation. Judge Thompson, in his charge to the jury, stated that the evidence which had been given him was produced by four of the most prominent attorneys in Morgan county. Charges of boodle and corruption among the aldermen and other officials will be investigated. The finding of the grand jury is awaited with great anxiety by all citizens here.

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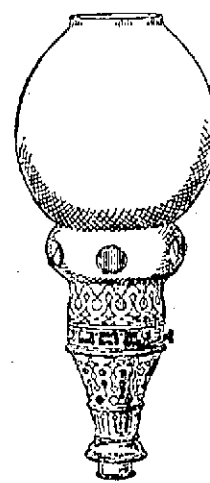
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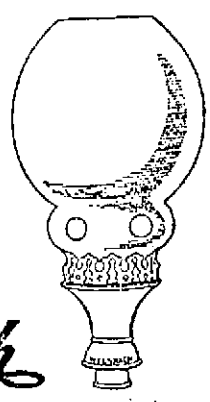
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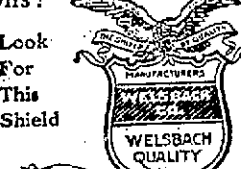
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For Trimming Wash Dresses and Underwear.

Special Prices for the Week, Jan. 30th to Feb. 4th.

An opportunity to supply your lace and embroidery wants at bargain prices. A hundred pieces of torchon laces and insertions, many of them in matched patterns, all on sale; per yard, 4 cents. A new line of patent valenciennes lace in the various widths with insertions to match, 2c to 15c per yard or 20c to \$1.50 per dozen yards. In the wider widths of cotton laces the Zion City laces are best. They range from 2 to 6 inches in width and from 5 to 25 cents per yard. Several hundred pieces of the new embroideries, Swiss, Nainsook and Cambric, are just in from the east and will be on sale these days. Cambric edges, 8 inches wide, a dozen or more patterns, per yard, 20c; 12-inch widths, 25 cents. Another line of 6-inch widths at 12 1/2 cents. A beautiful line of Swiss embroideries in matched sets, two and three widths of edges with insertions to match; these will be from 10 to 25 cents per yard and real values are a half more. Will also show this week the first arrivals of wash goods for Spring. New Percales, Gingham, Dimities, Organdies, Cotton Voiles, white goods, &c., for children's wear, for waists, for shirt waist suits.

Recent Advertised Specials

Still on sale are the lines of waists in two lots at a choice for \$1 and \$3. The handsome Fur Scarfs reduced from ten dollars to \$5.75. The Winter Coats at \$5 and \$3. The twenty-dollar Suits at \$10.

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It does not Pay to install cheap plumbing, because there is no one feature in the construction of a house that will be as unsatisfactory—both as to the fixtures and the workmanship. On the other hand, there is nothing which will appeal so strongly to the fastidious and careful housewife, and be so great a source of enjoyment, as modern high grade Plumbing.

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The Glory of Maternity.

Nature, if left alone, will cure for itself; this might have been true at some prehistoric time, but since for ages it has not been left alone, but has been bound down and fettered by the observances and mandates of society, it can no longer cure for itself.

At no time does the truth of this appeal to us more strongly than at that period of a woman's life when she is about to become a mother. Nature must be assisted at this crisis, and for this very contingency

MOTHER'S FRIEND

has been devised that the muscles and tissues implicated and weakened as they have been by the stress of our higher civilization, may fulfill without undue suffering and possible lasting harm, the functions for which the Creator intended them.

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Often in one day A Want Ad.

will change the whole trend and environment of a man's life—by finding him a new home, or new employment, or a business partner, or business capital.

Three Lines Three Times, 25c

Prices in Dentistry

Most of the local dentists belong to a society in which they have agreed over their written signatures to maintain a certain scale of prices.

Now see how this high-priced business works: The Dental Society price for a common gold crown is \$10. I am putting on hundreds of them, the equal in all respects to the above, at just half their price; namely, \$5.

The reason I can do this is that "I AM NOT IN THE TRU-T."

Another reason for my low prices: I had rather work for a LOT OF PEOPLE and make friends of them all by REASONABLE fees than to only have an OCCASIONAL PATIENT and to have to charge him so much that he won't come again.

Living expenses are tremendous these times and no matter how heavy your income may be, you, no doubt, will be thinking "HOW YOU CAN CUT SOMEWHERE IN YOUR FAMILY EXPENSE BILL."

The above then is a matter which will interest you strongly.

Yours sincerely, F. T. RICHARDS, Dentist

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THE DANGER TO LIBERTY.

All observers agree in the statement that the crisis in Russia reflects the first beginning of a struggle for liberty. And it is of the essence of such struggles that they are surely successful sooner or later, for liberty is a God-given right of man as our Declaration of Independence says, and it is an eternal principle that cannot be eternally denied. So in time—though it may be a long time—the world will see a free nation develop in Russia—free, that is, as long as itself it chooses to be free.

Freedom does not consist merely in a constitution however good may be that constitution. It depends upon the doing of the word, not merely upon its saying. It makes little difference to a man whether it be monarch or majority that oppresses him if he be oppressed. It makes little difference to him what the constitution or the statute books say if public officials do something else, or fail to do what is ordered. Liberty is threatened, so far as an individual citizen is concerned, by many things besides an autocrat with a platoon of Cossacks. We heard something in the hysterical closing hours of the last campaign about the "man on horseback" and we are easily moved to patriotic fervor by the mere thought of "monarchy." But there is more real danger to our liberties in a "boodler" in a legislature or a "boodler" measure in a board of aldermen than in a regiment of "men on horseback" or a palace of "monarchs." There is more menace to American liberties in "graft" than in all the machinations of foreign powers and "Holy Alliances" pictured in the fevered brain of a yellow journal writer, or a blatherskite senator.

The essence of liberty is equally of rights, while the essence of "graft" is eternally opposed to the principle of liberty, and in a country such as this, it is an ever present danger. As a people we are continually jealous of our national liberties, so far as other nations might threaten them. We are not nearly jealous enough of our individual liberties as threatened by the principle of "graft." Many people seem to think that Mr. Jerome's crusade against the gamblers is quixotic, and designed merely to capture the groundlings. We are told that gambling is not a very serious matter, and we are invited to note that while the police force is being used to stamp it out, robberies with violence go unpunished. People do not seem to understand that the real importance of the gambling matter is that it demonstrates the existence of a secret and illicit power, strong enough to check the operation of the laws made by the people. Whenever such a power exists, people are not free, yet it is part of the cant of the "grafter" that anti-gambling laws interfere with the liberties of the citizen, and that, therefore, they should not be enforced.

What we have to learn in this country is that it is the principle of "graft" that has to be stamped out, and not merely certain forms of it, which happen to be accidentally obnoxious. There is very little need for us to worry about what foreign powers may do, or plot to do against our national freedom or pride. There is great danger to our individual liberties from the existence of bodies organized for the purpose of "graft" in connection with political power. The public mind is not as sensitive on this point as it should be.

BUREAUCRACY.

The point is raised that at the same time that the people of Russia are endeavoring to free themselves from the despotism of a corrupt bureaucracy, there are people in this country who are endeavoring to establish the same sort of despotic bureaucracy by giving to the federal government the power to regulate rates and supervise corporations.

A bureaucracy in a country like Russia, where there is no freedom of speech, freedom of press, or popular government, is, however, a very different kind of bureaucracy than could exist in a country like this, where there are popular elections, free press and free speech. To compare what is proposed to be done in this country with what exists in Russia is altogether absurd. That there is danger in conferring large powers on federal officials in the control of corporations, there can be no doubt whatever. Even those who are most strongly advocating such a policy freely admit this. If there were any other way of dealing with the subject than through centralization of power in the federal government, that other way would be the one to be adopted. As between a power of a bureaucracy at Washington in regulating the corporations of the country, but subject to criticism by free speech and free press, and subject also to overthrow at popular elections, on the one hand, and the power of monopoly, having no direct responsibility to the people, refusing the light of publicity, and holding itself substantially a law unto itself, on the other, there can be but one choice.

Russia's theory that the uprising is unimportant may not seem quite so sound the next time the nation tries to borrow a little money on its credit.

It will take more than one amiable, soft-spoken proclamation to convince the St. Petersburg people that Trepoft has turned philanthropist.

Suppose we turn our eyes from wars and world politics for a while and devote ourselves to the serious purpose of selecting good aldermen.

It must have been a somewhat solemn and chastened joy that permeated that "pleasant interview" between Judge Parker and Mr. Bryan.

What ails Venezuela is that it suffers from too much Castro.

If Haiti were wise it would recognize that it needs a guardian also.

Every time the temperature rises for any purpose it should be recognized at once by the chair.

As Gen. Miles has given the senators no opportunities to snub him lately, they are inventing a few.

Russia is making history in two different trouble centers.

It seems that the czar's country has decided to postpone its French revolution.

New York had a number of big fires, but the firement did not appreciate these efforts to modify the weather.

Dowie has his disciples pretty well trained or some of them might direct his attention to Luke 4:23.

It is a rank case of leze majesty when the grip germ tickles members of the family of the German emperor.

Uncle Tommy Niedringhaus may yet have to decide that the senatorial grapes are wholly lacking in flavor after all.

Tom Lawson's comedy would have been much more impressive if he had not put all the best scenes in the first act.

Trepoff's proclamation seems to denote a prudent effort to disguise the mailed fist in a large, soft, fur-covered mitt.

Swinburne has bombarded the czar in verse, but so long as Alfred Austin remains silent the case is not so terrible.

PRESS COMMENT.

Milwaukee Sentinel: The time may come when it will be interesting to have a list of women who did not marry Johann Hoch.

Madison Democrat: As senator Mr. La Follette will have a chance to greet under altered circumstances the statesmen who so brusquely bowled him out of the Chicago convention.

Minneapolis Journal: Whether the small boy catches a ride or not, the great joy he gets in chasing a delivery wagon for two blocks pays for all the wear and tear.

Oshkosh Northwestern: Widows who read about the operations of that Johann Hoch of Chicago will be a little careful hereafter about marrying the first man who comes along and promises to be good to them.

Minneapolis Times: These are trying times for royalty. Queen Wilhelmina's husband received a wild tumble while stating Wednesday and cracked his head. He never was any good.

Racine Journal: Congressman Jenkins has introduced a bill which restores the old privilege of enabling the adverse parties in injunction cases to be heard by the court before judgment is rendered.

El Paso Herald: With all the Lotters girls marrying titled Britishers, the English aristocracy bids fair to have a little honest, old Pennsylvania Dutch blood infused into it, probably to its manifest improvement.

Evening Wisconsin: In Way Cross, Georgia, a saloon license costs \$30,000. There is probably no place in the town where the thirsty traveler is greeted by the sign "Two Beers for Five Cents."

Topeka Herald: There probably never was a bolder for public praise who "blew up" quicker than has Thomas Lawson. Six months ago Lawson was unknown. Then his name became a household word from coast to coast. Now "none so poor as to do him reverence."

Madison Journal: The first statue of a woman in the capitol of the United States was received Friday when

the state of Illinois presented one of Frances E. Willard, the distinguished reformer. Appropriate exercises were held in statutory hall of the capitol and speeches by some distinguished men were made.

Superior Telegram: Republicans, not only in the state but beyond its borders, will view the favorable prospects of the restoration of republican harmony in Wisconsin with much satisfaction. The fact that the stalwart members of the legislature voted for Gov. La Follette for the United States senate is convincing evidence of the new era of harmony. The republicans of Wisconsin will go forward with renewed courage and good will.

Philadelphia Record: La Follette is a man with bees in his bonnet, but he is shrewd, tireless, an incessant worker, a natural dictator, and restless to a degree that makes the president seem sluggish. He will be heard from in the senate, especially with railroad regulation the uppermost topic, and though the senate is not conspicuous as an avenue to the White House, plenty of people expect to see him nominated for the presidency in 1908.

Pond du Lac Commonwealth: The time has come for the elimination of factionalism and there is no better way to accomplish this important task than by the acceptance of the situation gracefully and by the determination to accord the newly elected senator the support to which he is entitled from the entire party. Republicans will then have license to expect that he will serve the whole party and the state to the best of his ability.

Green Bay Gazette: The proposed purchase of the North-Western road by the Union Pacific is said to have fallen through because of the pride of the North-Western stockholders in their road and their desire to retain possession and to keep it up to its present high standard. The stockholders have just occasion for pride in their road. Its equipment and service, especially in its passenger department, is worthy of the pride taken in it. Long may the present management retain control.

Stevens Point Journal: It is stated that a move is on foot at Madison to require railroads to furnish state officers and employees about the capital with free passes. This is as it should be and it is hoped the necessary legislation to put the beneficiaries into practice will be enacted. After the ball is set in motion the next legislature can extend the free transportation system to the steamboat and electric lines. This done the wise men of the succeeding legislature, logically following the same general plan, will be in a position to demand of the milkmen free tickets, of the farmers free meat and potatoes, and so on to the end of the chapter. By that time it will simply be a case of "if you want anything you do not see please ask for it."

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NOT MUCH STOCK YET SUBSCRIBED

Committee Has Not Been Active—Must Hurry Before Tomorrow Evening.

Tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock in the assembly room of the city hall will be held a meeting of all those who are interested in the projected baseball team in this city, with President of the League Powers and the delegates from the teams in the northern part of the state. Up to this afternoon the committee appointed to visit the business men and dispose of stock had not been active and less than a hundred dollars' worth has been subscribed. Unless the necessary amount can be assured if not secured before tomorrow evening it is possible that Janesville will not have a team in the league, because on Thursday the team managers meet in Beloit to arrange the schedule of games.

Real Estate Transfers
E. D. Flueckiger & wife to May Bell Brock \$800.00 lots 8, 9, 16, 17-1 Flueckiger's Add Beloit.
Pomelia Grosbeck to Collier Nichols \$1200.00, pt lot 41 Pease's Add Janesville.

Maria C. Wahman to Fritz Gronberg \$100.00 lots 17, 18-1 Blodgett & King's Add Beloit.
A. P. Lovejoy & wife to E. N. Butterfield \$220.00 lot 21 Lovejoy's Add Janesville.

Wm. L. Crandall to Wm. F. Henke \$200.00 n1-2 of s1-2 s1-4 n1-4 s23 Harmony.
Mary A. Brophy to Marvin Caradine \$2800.00 s1-4 of s1-4 s1-4 & s1-2 n1-2 s1-4 sec 11 Rock.

WAS HOSTESS AT PARTY ON TWELFTH BIRTHDAY

Helen Patterson Entertained Several Little Friends at Grandmother's Home.

In honor of her twelfth birthday anniversary little Helen Patterson entertained a number of her playmates at a party given at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Anna Craven. The tables were laden with goodies dear to the children and delightful games were played. Before departing the hostess was presented with a number of pretty gifts. Those at the party were: Irene Hagney, Helen Wood, Genevieve Drum, Margaret Driver, Maude Perno, Elizabeth Grove, Regina Brennan, Mary Leahy, May Hall, Allen Birmingham, Helen McMulleh, George McMullen, Mary Flanagan, Lizzie Hall, Grace Gillespie, Florence Leahy, and Frank Leahy of Chicago.

Pearl in Oyster: While eating supper last evening George Schaller was the lucky finder of a pearl in an oyster. The gem is small in size but is believed to be valuable.

Died in Topeka: In the death column of today's Milwaukee "Sentinel" appears this: "M. Smith, formerly of Janesville at Topeka, Kansas. No particulars are given."

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and the disagreeable task of leaning over damp, leaky washtubs, by equipping your laundry with

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Is there any reason why you should not have a modern Laundry in your home?
"Standard" Laundry Trays are strictly modern, perfectly clean, sanitary, and moderate in price. Let us tell you the cost of putting a modern Laundry in your home.

CHARLES E. SNYDER, 2 North River Street.
Opposite No. 1 Fire Station, Janesville

SAYS THE BACHELOR GIRL.

The most salient feature in the environment of every one of us is the way we get our living. That's the only objectionable thing about a bed-bug.

Heredity, home influence, early training—all put together have not so much to do with making us as the way we get our living.

If we do not get our living at all, but inherit it or have an income given us by someone else, that makes a very distinct type of man. Each employment stamps another type.

Individuals may vary within the type, but no two mechanics will vary as much as a mechanic and a doctor, for instance.

The fact that the vast majority of men receive rewards proportioned to their efforts and abilities, and that the vast majority of women do not, is the fundamental cause of the intellectual, moral and temperamental differences in the sexes.

No woman in domestic life gets what she earns. If her husband or father is a money-maker, she has money whether she does anything for it or not. If he can't make money, she may work like a slave for board and clothes.

Nothing but the fact that their income is affected by the laws of finance, economics and government has ever made men reason about these things.

Women don't reason about these things in general, because their whole relation to the laws that govern civilization is indirect.

Their immediate economic environment is the man who gets a living for them. All the rest is remote.

Put men and women under the same economic conditions and they reason in the same way.—Minnie J. Reynolds in New York Times.

Buy it in Janesville.

CHICAGO MARKETS

9. Searchlight Restaurant, Chicago, Jan. 31, 1905.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—				
May	1 16 1/4	1 17 1/4	1 16 1/4	1 16 3/4
July	99 1/4	99 3/4	99 1/4	99 1/2
CORN—				
May	44 1/4	45 1/4	44 1/4	44 3/4
July	43 1/4	44 1/4	43 1/4	43 3/4
OGES—				
May	30 1/4	30 3/4	30 1/4	30 1/2
July	30 1/4	30 3/4	30 1/4	30 1/2
POKE—				
May	12 1/2	13 1/2	12 1/2	12 3/4
July	12 1/2	13 1/2	12 1/2	12 3/4
MEAT—				
May	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
July	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
STEE—				
May	9 3/4	9 3/4	9 3/4	9 3/4
July	9 3/4	9 3/4	9 3/4	9 3/4

CHICAGO COTTON EXCHANGES.

To-day. Contract. Sat. Tomorrow.

.....	7 12 13	7 13 17	7 12	7 12 13
.....	6 57	6 90	6 82	6 87
.....	7 90	7 02	7 00	7 92
CHICAGO CAR LOT RECEIPTS.				
To-day.	Contract.	Est. Tomorrow		
21			9	
590			174	
100	42		56	

MEN'S LEAGUE ON GAMBLING EVIL

POST-PRANDIAL DISCUSSION AT METHODIST PARLORS

PROVED LIVE AND INTERESTING

Board of Trade Speculations, Lotteries, and Local Question Handled—Marshal Comstock Commended

"Gambling" was the topic for discussion before the monthly meeting of the Men's League of the Central Methodist church last evening. Arthur Bates acting as master of ceremonies. The supper which preceded the discussion was served by the ladies of the church and the silent tribute to their culinary skill spoke more eloquently than words. The league has seventy charter members and several new ones were added to the roll last evening. A. W. Campbell was the first speaker. He discussed the gambling spirit psychologically, aiming to decide whether it was a sense or instinct. Usually gambling was associated with drinking but it was difficult to trace a direct connection because the latter was to be regarded as a habit, while the former was not primarily so. He cited the colored people who are, as a rule, nearer to nature than the American, yet with the great majority gambling was almost an instinct.

Something for Nothing
The speaker said that he had been present in the Illinois fire in Chicago a little over a year ago, and what impressed him most in those few moments of horror was the fact that the owners had taken such a materialistic view of life, and were willing to risk the lives of their patrons to save a few paltry dollars; to get something for nothing, and this in itself is the true spirit of gambling. Phil E. Williams, the second speaker, showed the attitude of the government toward gambling and traced its history from the time that the promised land was divided by lot. His address was written and read, showed considerable study and research. He went into the details of the Louisiana state lottery, and gave figures that astonished many. At one time there were sold \$23,000,000 worth of tickets offering some thing like \$14,000,000 in prizes. For every \$15 that they earned they returned about \$6. Mr. Williams then gave details of gambling through the mails and the constant vigilance maintained by Uncle Sam.

Board of Trade
C. S. Buck was called upon next to speak of the board of trade operators and its relation to gambling. He took the view that as a rule, the operations on the board of trade were gambling just as much as poker playing. It is hard however to draw the line distinctly between legitimate enterprise and gambling. Taken in its strictest sense the groceryman who buys a barrel of flour when it is low in price, simply that the price of flour would go up before it would go down and was therefore a gambler, but people in general would not recognize it as such. The speaker thought that individual conscience had a great deal to do with the matter and that every man had to settle the question for himself as to whether he was gambling or not. Mr. Buck said that the danger, as regards the board of trade operations, was not so much in the gambling but rather in the tendency to play unfair, to "manipulate" the market so that the innocent and unsuspecting public could be fleeced of their hard-earned cash. He spoke of Thomas Lawson's articles on "Frenzied Finance" and advised everybody to read them, because Lawson's prime object in writing them was to abolish the crooked and unfair methods now prevalent in the workings of high finance. It is the duty of every American citizen to bring about fair play for it is the great American ideal.

Is Speculation Gambling?
After each regular speaker had been heard, opportunity was given for general discussion. At this point, A. Clark arose and said that he took exception to the remarks of the last speaker, in that speculation was not gambling, and that the groceryman above referred to was not gambling when he bought the car of flour expecting to sell it at a higher price. These remarks by Mr. Clark added spice to the talk and several were on the floor to discuss the question. Mr. H. G. Arnold gave some illustrations, where speculation was pure gambling. Mr. Phil Williams thought that buying an option was gambling, but buying an article and having it in hand was not. Mr. Bartoof's idea of gambling was when a man tried to get a profit above a legitimate profit. Mr. Y. S. Logan believed that if a man owned an article he was privileged to make as much as he could out of it. Chas. Ward handled the subject from the standpoint of the race course and pointed out the evils attached to it. The man who bets the small amounts eventually loses, because the percentage is against him.

Gambling in Janesville
T. E. Benson was the last speaker and he had for his subject "Gambling in Janesville." He said that if the moral and church people should put their foot down upon it and come out with an emphatic demand that gambling should cease in Janesville, some action would speedily be taken. He gave the names of several saloons and points about town where gambling is constantly going on, and which is an open secret to almost everybody. He also spoke of the gambling in the private homes and the extent to which it was carried. Mr. Benson said that he had talked with some of the aldermen and with the city attorney, who informed him that there were laws enough if they were only enforced. The state law provides a penalty of \$100 to \$500, and a city ordinance of \$1 to \$50 per no complaint has been made in over a year. At the close of Mr. Benson's remarks Mr. H. G. Arnold offered the following resolution which was almost unanimously adopted: "The Men's League of the Central M. E. church: Resolved that we heartily commend Marshal Com-

stock for his efforts in suppressing vice and gambling in the city, and that we will give him, as citizens of Janesville our support in endeavoring to suppress evil. The evening's entertainment was an excellent start for the new organization and it is expected that much interest will be shown at the next meeting which will be held the last Monday night in February.

FUTURE EVENTS
Those interested in forming a baseball league team will meet at the city hall, Wednesday evening, Feb. 1. "Innocent Maids" burlesque company at Myers theatre, Thursday evening, Feb. 2. Hanlons' "Superba" at the Myers, Wednesday evening, Feb. 3.

LODGE MEETINGS TONIGHT.
Janesville City Lodge No. 90, I. O. O. F., at West Side Odd Fellows hall, Janesville Lodge No. 254, B. P. O. E., at Castle hall.

THE WEATHER
Temperature last 24 hours taken from U. S. registered thermometer at Helmstreet's drugstore: highest, 21 above; lowest, 3 below; ther. at 3 p. m., 17 above; at 7 a. m., 2 below; a. m., cloudy; p. m., sunshine; wind, northeast.

LATE LOCAL NEWS IN BRIEF.

H. G. wieners. Nash. 100 cloaks, formerly sold from \$7.50 to \$12.50, now for \$2.39. T. P. Burns. Special sale of ladies' waists. All \$1.25 waists for 67c. All \$2.50 waists for \$1.19. All \$4 waists for \$1.87. All \$5 and \$6 waists, for \$2.39. T. P. Burns. 150 cloaks, which formerly sold from \$12.50 to \$20, now for \$4.67. T. P. Burns. Pillsbury's Best Flour makes the bread that men on the march, in the mines and in the shops like best, because there is substance and strength in it. F. A. Spoon Co., Millers Agent. Lost—Scottie collie dog. Answer to name of Jim. Five dollars reward for his return or for any information leading to his return. No questions asked. If this dog has been poisoned, and is dead, will reward anyone for this information. John L. Fisher, Hayes block.

Pillsbury's Best Flour sells for more than some flours and less than others, but is cheaper than any. A barrel will make more loaves. F. A. Spoon & Co., Millers Agent. Roasts of veal, pork, beef and mutton. Nash.

Miss Nash, expert silk demonstrator, will be at Toal & Ludlow's all next week. Embroidery work demonstration all next week at Toal & Ludlow's. Janesville corn, 6c can. Nash. Besides the regular line of embroidery work, Miss Farnham will instruct in Mt. Mellick, Hardanger, Kloster and cross stitch embroidery work. Toal & Ludlow. Acorn brand home made pig pork sausage. W. W. Nash. Every lady is invited to take advantage of the free embroidery lessons from Feb. 6 to 11 at Toal & Ludlow's. The Fraternal Reserve will give a dance at West Side I. O. O. F. hall Feb. 2d. Admission, 25c. There will be a special meeting of the Women's Union Label league at Assembly hall tonight. Fancy naval oranges, 35c pk. Nash. Pillsbury's Best Flour makes bread that is fresh long after it comes from the oven. Most flour makes bread that must be eaten almost hot to be fresh, and is unhealthy. F. A. Spoon & Co., Millers Agent.

CURRENT NEWS NOTES.

Not to Play Jefferson: The game of basketball which it was thought might be arranged to be played with Jefferson high school this Friday evening will not be contested. Satisfactory arrangements could not be made and some other game will probably be scheduled before tomorrow evening.

Attends Board Meeting: Dr. L. L. Leslie is attending in Milwaukee the meeting of the state board of dental examiners of which he is a member. Eleven candidates for dentists' licenses are being examined.

With Mrs. McChesney: The Women's Foreign Missionary circle of the Methodist Episcopal church will meet with Mrs. McChesney, 172 1/2 Terrace street, Wednesday, February 1, at 2:30 o'clock. The topic will be the second chapter of Dux Christus. At roll call. Leave trolley car at the Washington school building in the first ward and go a few doors to the north.

Receiving Tobacco: H. T. Keller and John Holton of Stoughton, representing the American Cigar Co., are receiving tobacco in this city today, some of H. T. Keller's early purchases.

Annual Military Ball: Invitations have been issued for the annual military ball to be given by the Patriarchs Militant at Assembly hall next week Tuesday evening.

Caring for Horses: Upon investigation this morning Humane Officer Bennett found that every possible care was being given the two horses burned in the slaked lime near the sugar factory. Dr. Brown is looking after them and expects to pull them through.

Tomorrow Morning: The seat sale of "The Innocent Maids," the attraction at the Myers theatre Thursday evening, will open tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock. The play so pleased a Beloit audience last Saturday evening that a return date has been arranged by Manager Wilson.

Janesville Furs in Paris
L. Kennedy, the fur dealer at 56 South River street, has received a shipment consisting of fifteen Canadian red fox skins, which will be exported to Revillon Freres, the large fur dealers of Paris, France. Mr. Kennedy secures furs of the wolf of Colorado, mink from Illinois, badgers from Montana, and does quite an extensive business locally in muskrats, coons, minks and white weasels. About \$4 is paid for the best mink and \$2 for black skunks.

NOT GUILTY, WAS VERDICT OF JURY

FAY EDDINGTON IS ONCE MORE A FREE MAN.

MOCK TRIAL IN RUSK LYCEUM

Very Interesting Program of Literary Society—Court Rules Were Followed.

Last evening's mock trial conducted in the assembly room of the high school building by the young men of the Rusk Lyceum literary society was most successful and though not as humorous as some that have been held in former years—conducted as well and as entertainingly as any. The rules of the court were strictly followed and though at times even the Judge forgot his dignity and smiled at the questions or answers in the examinations of the witnesses, the spectators at the trial were at all times impressed with the augustness of the court. About one hundred and fifty, other than members of the society, were present and from this number was drawn the jury. The arguments presented by the two attorneys were belabored, strong and of considerable length.

Spectators for Jury
The court was opened by Sheriff Frederick Jensen with the customary "Hear ye! Hear ye! Hear ye!" Harvey Bailey acted as judge and Clayton Fisher as clerk of court. The prisoner was brought forward and read the charge. The defendant was charged with larceny to the Rusk Lyceum in that he did not accept an office proffered him; that he used undue influence among other members of the organization to prevent the expulsion of a member who, according to the by-laws, was liable to expulsion, and also to have given time and attention which should have been given to the preparation of Lyceum work to certain other things. State District Attorney Robert Jensen appeared for the Lyceum and Lawyer Orville Swift for the defense. The jury was who served in the case were: Ira Heisapple, O. P. Brunson, Harry Robinson, J. Arbutnot, Gardner Kavelge and Roy Fredendall.

Witnesses Examined
Three witnesses were summoned by each side and examined and cross-examined thoroughly and at times amusingly by the two lawyers. Those who were brought on the stand by the prosecution were: Jerome Davis, James Quinn and Thomas Mulligan. The witnesses who testified for the prisoner were Harvey Lee, Floyd Davis and Edward Hyzer. Considerable merriment was caused by some of the questions asked by the attorneys and the answers given by the witnesses, and the only disappointment for many in the trial was that the witness was not called to the stand to testify for himself. The prosecuting attorney asked Floyd Davis a question while on the stand which was answered in an inaudible tone, then followed this colloquy: "Will you answer my question?" "I did answer the question." "What was your answer?" "What was your question?"

"A Fairly Good Boy"
Several witnesses were asked concerning the character of the prisoner: Hyzer, who had known Eddington for twelve years, considered him at a standstill—no better, no worse, than at anytime he had known him. Quinn said that he thought the defendant a fairly good boy. The two examining attorneys endeavored and at times succeeded in making the witnesses gainsay their former statements, but all attempts to make Mulligan contradict himself on the part of the defending lawyer proved of no avail. During the taking of testimony Attorney Jensen was charged by the opposing lawyer with suborning perjury by answering out loud for the benefit of the witness on the stand. Jensen explained this in his rebuttal as a habit he had of talking to himself.

Found Not Guilty
The pleas of the two lawyers were very well worked out and presented. The defending attorney considered the prisoner a paradox of virtues and in a very able way summed up and explained the points that had been made by the testimony of the witnesses. Attorney Jensen thought the prisoner a disloyal member of the Lyceum, and argued that the offense should not go unpunished. Judge Bailey then charged the jury, which after ten minutes' deliberation returned with a verdict of not guilty. During the trial the prisoner was in an uneasy mood and his nervousness was clearly discernable. The attorneys both anxiously listened to the testimony drawn by the opponent and to the arguments presented to the jury, one finding a flaw in the reasoning of the other here and the other decriing the argument of the opposing attorney there. Intense interest throughout the proceedings was taken by the audience and each one present was very well pleased with the trial.

What the Judge Said
The following extract from the court's decision in the proceedings against Attorney J. J. Cunningham is a high tribute to his personal and professional integrity. The court said: "It is noteworthy, in fact remarkable, whatever else may be said, that although preparations for this proceeding appear to have been made with much care and thoroughness, even diligence, by persons with whom the defendant has done business during his ten years' membership in this profession, has suffered in anywise, has been defrauded, taken advantage of, lost anything, been deceived by the defendant, or indeed, complains of the defendant for any cause. Even though this fact be not of considerable importance in this case, it is nevertheless quite noticeable and especially so considering the effort made in searching the defendant's record to find something against him."

Jury Drawn Today: The jury for the trial of Louis Cook who is charged with a statutory crime of a very serious nature was drawn at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

FLAMES INJURED FATHER OF MAYOR

S. Hutchinson: Victim of Accident with Gasoline Oven Saturday Night.

Saturday evening S. Hutchinson, father of Mayor Hutchinson, barely escaped being very seriously burned and as it was received injuries that will confine him to the house for several days. Mr. Hutchinson went down into the cellar after supper to turn off the heater in a gasoline oven, which is used for burning newly painted chairs and mistaking the way which the screw should be turned, opened the valve. A blaze immediately flew up and for a time there was danger of a serious fire breaking out in the house. The flames communicated from the oven to the partition and in endeavoring to extinguish the blaze Mr. Hutchinson's hands and face were quite severely burned, though no serious results are anticipated. The fire was put out with a few buckets of water, no alarm for the department being sent in.

DID JAIL FIRE VICTIM HAVE A RELATIVE HERE?

Man Burned to Death at Ladysmith Supposed To Be Related to Chas. Stock Who Worked at Sugar Factory.

Sunday night the village jail at Ladysmith, Wis., burned and the only inmate, who is supposed to be Thomas Stock of Turtle Lake, perished in the flames. Mayor Hutchinson this morning received a telegraphic message from the mayor of Ladysmith, J. A. Corbett, asking him to hunt up relatives of the dead man, who was supposed to live in or near Janesville, and to wire disposition of the body. If these relatives were discovered, Mayor Hutchinson after much search and inquiry finally succeeded in gaining trace of one Charles Stock who at one time was employed at the Rock County Sugar company's plant in this city, but who some time ago went to Milwaukee and is now living at 223 Farewell avenue. The address was sent to the Ladysmith mayor this afternoon.

BADGER STATE CO. MEN TO ROCHELLE

Five of the Stockholders Went to Illinois Town This Morning to Investigate Offer of Site.

George W. Marsden, president; Harry Nowlan, secretary and treasurer; George B. Slater, and two other stockholders in the Badger State Machine Co. left this morning for Rochelle, Ill., to look over the site for a factory which the enterprising business men of that city have offered them. It is evident that mere "good intentions" on the part of the local business men is not going to prevent the removal of the factory from Janesville, providing the offer of the Illinois city is as good as it looks at a distance.

SMALL BULL DOGS AS CARD PRIZES

Sheriff Cochran Presents Novel Souvenirs at Surprise Party—Ladies' Sodality Affair a Big Success

Sheriff and Mrs. Wallace Cochran were surprised last night by twenty-four friends bearing huge hamper stocked with good things for a jolly evening. After the spread the tables were cleared for progressive cinch, and such proficiency was shown by Mrs. David Brown and Peter J. Caldwell at this game that they were awarded the first prizes without question. Mrs. J. L. Bear and Bert Gage, however, proved themselves in the consolation class. The presentation of trophies, owing to his unpreparedness for the invasion, promised to be a serious matter for the sheriff but he straightway bethought himself of four imported bull-puppies which had come to him some time ago and distributed these among the deserving. On account of his general adeptness at all stages of the game, City Treasurer James A. Fathers was awarded the infant Irish setter "Chloroform," descended from the famous "Fantine," "Mercurio," "Ivan the Great," and a long line of distinguished progenitors. In the party were: Messrs. and Mesdames James A. Fathers, Bert Gage, Otto E. Smith, E. E. Bullock, C. R. Wright, J. A. Decker, J. L. Bear, C. W. Schwartz, F. H. Locke, David Brown, P. K. Cuidow. Ladies' Sodality Party

East Side Odd Fellows' hall was the scene of a merry gathering last evening, the occasion being a card party given by the Young Ladies' Sodality of St. Mary's church, to whose invitations two hundred and fifty guests responded. At the game of cinch William Brynn, John Conley, Miss Katherine Kelly, and Miss Dorothy Madhouse achieved special distinction and were awarded the prizes. A dance followed the card-playing, Roy Carter furnishing the music.

HELD ANNUAL MEETING AND ELECTED OFFICERS

The Ladies of St. John's Church Met Sunday in Yearly Gathering. Sunday the ladies of the St. John's German Lutheran church met and elected officers for the ensuing twelve months as follows: President—Mrs. W. Klenow. Vice-president—Mrs. A. Zerbelt. Treasurer—Mrs. H. Moesser.

New Law Office
I wish to announce that I have opened an office for the general practice of law. Am located over the store of Herbert Holme, opposite the Merchants & Mechanics' Savings bank. STANLEY D. TALLMAN.

Buy it in Janesville.

FORGERS AGAIN ACTIVE IN CITY

SPURIOUS CHECKS PRESENTED TO BANKS THIS WEEK.

ONE OF THEM WAS HONORED

By One Teller, But Failed To Get By in the Afternoon Clearing—Henry Tall's Name Affixed.

Evidence has come to light within the last day or two of renewed activity hereabouts in the business of forging signatures and indorsements to checks. One of these instruments purporting to be indorsed by Henry Tall and calling for the payment of \$11 was cashed by one bank but refused by the bank on whom it was drawn when the afternoon clearing was made. Another of these checks, believed to be spurious and purporting to come from Willet Decker, was presented for payment at the Merchants & Mechanics' bank where the latter carries no account. It was promptly refused. It is hoped that this latest outbreak in the "easy money" line will lead to the capture of the offenders who have evidently been operating in this vicinity for some time.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Bridget Mullen
Mrs. Bridget Mullen passed away at her home in the town of Harmony Monday afternoon at 5:40 o'clock. The deceased was a much respected and resident of ninety-two winters and leaves to mourn her death three sons and two daughters—John and Owen of Milton Junction, Michael of Kenosha, Minn., Mrs. George Thorpe of Janesville, and Mrs. William Gasper of Milton Junction. Mrs. Mullen has been a resident of the town of Harmony for fifty years and was one of the highly esteemed pioneers of Rock county.

The remains will be brought from Milton tomorrow morning and funeral services held from the St. Patrick's church at 11:30 o'clock.

Charles Edwin Jenkins
Funeral services for the late Charles Edwin Jenkins were held this afternoon at 3:00 o'clock from the home on South Main street, Rev. Barrington conducting the ceremonies. The remains will be sent to Milwaukee tomorrow for cremation, according to the request made by himself before death.

J. Frank Poorman
Funeral services over the remains will be held from his home at 1:00 o'clock Thursday afternoon, Rev. Tippet officiating. Burial will be at Shojiere.

John M. Smith
The services over the remains of the late John M. Smith will be held from St. Patrick's church Wednesday morning at 9:15 o'clock.

William McFarland Gibson
All that is mortal of the late William McFarland Gibson will be laid at rest in Oak Hill cemetery tomorrow afternoon. Funeral services will be held from the home, 310 Center street, tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, Rev. J. T. Henderson officiating.

Ancient Literary Work.
The book of Job is believed to be the most ancient literary work in existence. It is known to have been written prior to the Pentateuch, and prior to the promulgation of the law.

Buy it in Janesville.

FINNAN HADDIES
100 lbs., freshly smoked, 10c lb.; broiled in butter are delicious. Beet greens, the young tops only, hot-house grown, 5c bunch. Ramier's bittersweets, America's finest chocolates, 35c lb. Taffy candies, 10c lb. Nut candies, 15c lb. Codfish middies, thick, white and freshly cut, 15c lb. Home-made bread, hot after 10 o'clock each morning, 4c loaf. Sour cream fried cakes, 10c doz. Little pig pork sausage, from the joints and hams only, 15c lb. Paul Revere coffees, the great reception coffee, 35, 50, 25 and 20c lb. Dutch Java coffee, drunk by dozens of families in every part of Janesville, 2-lb. can, 45c. Francis Wilson, an Havana-filled Connecticut wrapper, large size, London's Perfecto, straight 10c cigar, 100 in box for \$5.

GRUBB PRODUCE CO.

Genuine Hams.
We have a lot of regular smoked small pig hams, weigh about 11 lbs. each. We offer these at

12c lb.
although they would be very reasonable at 15c. They are bright and new, very tender and sweet. Mild cure—not salty at all. Fine for boiling, frying, baking or anything else for which the best of hams are required. Will keep indefinitely.

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DEDRICK BROS.

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NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE

B. D. Kolls is transacting business in Milwaukee. District Attorney W. O. Newhouse transacted business in Belvidere yesterday. He is attending a coroner's inquest in Beloit today. F. F. Nicholson, who has been traveling salesman for the shoe firm of M. D. Wells & Co. of Chicago for the past eleven years, will sever his connection with that firm on the first of March.

Miss Roehl spent Sunday in Hanover. Richard McKey, formerly of this city and now a resident of Chicago, visited Janesville friends yesterday. Mrs. J. Kennedy and daughter, Helen, returned yesterday from a visit in Whitewater.

Miss Cora E. Harris of Evansville was the guest of Janesville friends Sunday and yesterday. Malcolm R. Jeffris was home from Wayland academy, Beaver Dam, Sunday and Monday. Ralph Smith, a student at the same institution, was Mr. Jeffris' guest while in the city.

Rev. L. C. Smith of Waukesha was a Janesville visitor today. B. B. Billings of Evansville transacted business in the city yesterday. W. J. Eunis of Saginaw, Mich., spent Sunday in Janesville. George Oliver of Beloit is in the city today.

A Voegel of Monroe is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Edward Kiech, in this city.

COOKING DEMONSTRATION

Elizabeth O. Hiller is surely coming to Janesville to give eighteen practical demonstrations in cooking and serving food. The class is filling up rapidly. The ladies of the city are thoroughly interested. There is no question as to the success and value of these lectures to every housekeeper. The Social club, ladies of the Congregational church, have written to personal friends in other cities where Mrs. Hiller has given the course and have received glowing recommendations as to its worth and delightful helpfulness. In the last column of this page the ladies have secured space where each night you will find articles of interest concerning the lessons. Tonight we have given the list of subjects for the eighteen afternoons. Study them and see if there is any one you can afford to lose. The first lecture is free to every woman in Janesville.

Buy it in Janesville.

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Any size from 80 to 288.

Swift's Jersey Butterine 15c lb.

We give the coloring with every pound. You can color it yourself, but we can't sell it colored. Stoppenbach Jefferson Pure Lard, 5 & 10-lb. pails, 11c lb. Picnic Hams, fresh lot, 6c lb. Best Standard Oil, 10c gal. Swiss Cheese, 15c lb. Cream Cheese, 15c lb.

E. R. WINSLOW
20 North Main St.

Uncle Sam Needs Help!

At the Present Time a Large Number

Of vacancies exist in the different departments of the Government. In 1903 the number of Civil Service appointments was 25,000, and this number is increasing annually. Salary ranging from \$600 to \$1800 a year.

Departmental Branch
Clerk, Typewriter, Book Keeper, Tagger, Stenographer, Railway Mail Clerk.

Custom House Branch
Clerk, Messenger, Day Inspector, Sampler, Assistant Weigher.

Post Office
Clerk, Mail Carrier.

Internal Revenue Branch
Clerk, Store Keeper, Gauger.

Send for Civil Service Circular.

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THE FAIR

Women's and Misses' Heavy Fleeced Lined Vests slightly soiled. 50c values at 23c.

Stocking Caps 17c
Men's & Youths' Sweaters, Cotton Grade, Usually Selling for 75c; Special at 35c
Men's Heavy Wool Sweaters, \$1.50 Quality, @ 75c
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THE FAIR

Cooking A Fine Art.

Eighteen practical demonstrations in Cooking and Serving Dinners, Luncheons and Teas, conducted by

ELIZABETH O. HILLER

Principal of the Chicago Domestic Science Training School.

Subjects considered in this course are:
1.—An Ideal Kitchen.
2.—Some Beginnings.
3.—Soups and Soup Garnishings.
4.—Meat and Fish Sauces.
5.—Desserts, including Omelets, Souffles, Custards, etc.

6.—Entrees.
7.—Fish, Shell Fish and Crustaceans.
8.—Meats, including Roasting, Broiling, Sautéing, Frying, Pica-sing, etc.
9.—Game and Poultry.
10.—Vegetables.
11.—Batters and Doughs.
12.—Breads and Rolls.
13.—Cakes and Frostings.
14.—Salads, Salad Dressings and Sandwiches.
15.—Hot Desserts and Sauces.
16.—Frozen Desserts.
17.—Beverages.
18.—Dining-Room Service.

The lectures will be given every afternoon except Saturday, beginning as early in February as possible. The place is the store next to the New Gas Light Company's office. For course tickets apply to Mrs. Denison, Mrs. W. S. Jeffris or Mrs. Hiram Murdock. Course tickets, \$4.

New Meat Market Prices.

Each day sees an increase in our business. These prices tell the story. We guarantee the quality to be the best.

BEEF
Shoulder Steaks, 2 lbs., 25c
Round Steaks, lb., 10c
Best Cuts Beef Steaks, lb., 12 1/2c
Choice Beef Pot Roasts, lb., 7c
Boiling Meats, lb., 5c up

PORK
All Home Killed.
Loins of Pork Roast, lb., 10c
Pork Chops and Steak, lb., 10c
Shoulder Roast, lb., 8c
Spare Ribs lb., 8c
Pork Sausage, lb., 9c
Best Home Kettle Rendered Lard, lb., 9c
Head Cheese, lb., 8c

SMOKED MEATS
Sliced Ham, lb 14c
Bacon, lb 12 1/2c

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\$1.00 Reduction In COAL.

FOR A SHORT TIME ONLY WE WILL SELL

Cedar Valley Coal at \$4.50 a ton.

This Soft Coal is an ideal fuel. Your first order will surely be followed by a second. No order taken for less than one-half ton.

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Dr. F. E. Sutherland,
Late resident physician Chicago Homeopathic Hospital.

Office 217 Hayes Block, Janesville, Wis.

Free Meals for Children.
One of the charities of London is the Southwark free meals fund, the aim of which is that no child in the borough of Southwark shall go hungry during the winter months. Last year it gave away 135,000 breakfasts and dinners.

Shoplifting School.
The San Francisco police arrested three men and three women in what they said was a shop

LIFE IN THE SUBURBS

An authentic report of the various happenings in our neighboring towns.

TO CORRESPONDENTS
Correspondents will please write their mail address by rural routes and enclose in their next letter. Attention is also called to the fact that many of the correspondents ignore the outline printed for their benefit on the correspondence paper. Please follow directions in preparing the letters. All letters received with no signature will not be printed.

GAZETTE PRINTING CO.

EVANSVILLE.

Evansville, Jan. 30.—Oscar Little passed away Saturday evening, January 28, of a cancer. The deceased was about sixty-five years old and has been a great sufferer for some time. He has resided in this vicinity for nearly all his life having lived in Chicago a few years. He served in the war of '61-'65. He leaves a wife and one son, Orange, to mourn the loss of a kind husband and father. The funeral services were held at the home Monday afternoon at 1:30 under the auspices of the G. A. R. Rev. Churn of the M. E. church officiated. Interment was made in the cemetery in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Greaser spent Saturday and Sunday in Beloit. James Glin of Milwaukee is visiting his brother Will, who resides just north of this city.

Mr. Lizzie Glave returned to her home in Chicago Friday after spending a few days with relatives in this city.

Mrs. Luther Frantz of Belvidere has been spending a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gillman.

L. Estes has returned from an extended trip through the eastern states.

John V. Stair, who is employed in Milwaukee, spent Sunday with his family in this city.

Warren Rowley, a student at the U. W., was at home Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Sophia Barnum of Rockford, Ill., spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives and friends in this city.

A number from out of town attended the dance here on Saturday evening.

Mrs. George Meekins has been quite ill the past few days.

S. Champney and wife of Cooksville were guests at the home of C. M. Davis the last of the week.

Miss Cora E. Harris was the guest of Janesville friends Sunday and Monday.

Byron Andrews of Washington, D. C., and Cassius Andrews of S. Dakota, have been called here by the serious illness of their mother, Mrs. Sarah Andrews.

Miss Mable Alsop of Brooklyn has been assisting in the postoffice since Friday. Her postmistress, Miss Marilla Andrews has been detained at home to assist in caring for her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Libby are rejoicing over the arrival of a son, who came to gladden their home on Saturday.

Mrs. Lottie Jaycox arrived Sunday evening to spend a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Ingalls.

Mr. Wendell Case of Frederickburg, Iowa, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Bager.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bailey of Janesville were visitors in town on Sunday.

Miss Mae Webb of Milton spent Sunday with her parents here.

Mrs. Charles Fuller entertained a few friends on Saturday evening in honor of Miss Lena Rye.

Miss Lulu Baker will entertain the whist club on Friday evening of this week. An oyster supper will be served.

Mrs. Gertrude Campbell entertained about twenty friends on Tuesday afternoon in honor of Miss Morse of Chippewa Falls.

Mrs. Fred Baker is entertaining a company of friends today in honor of Mrs. Fellows of Fellows station.

Uncle Tom's Cabin will be given by

LAND OF FLOWERS AND SUNSHINE.

California Woman's Letter of Special Interests to People in Janesville.

At this season of the year a letter from the land of flowers and sunshine is of special interest to our readers. The following letter from the Holden Drug Co., of Stockton, Cal., one of the largest drug houses on the Pacific Coast, is of special interest.

They write: "Enclosed is a letter from one of the most prominent residents of this city. She will not allow her name to be published in the newspapers, but we can furnish it to anyone writing us."

"The letter is as follows: 'For some four years my daughter has had headaches, which seriously interfered with her school work. Until recently we attributed the trouble to eye strain, but happening to notice your advertisement of Hyomei, we were satisfied that her trouble came from catarrh.'

"We purchased a dollar outfit, and within twenty-four hours great relief was experienced, and the loosening of mucous matter and the reduction of throat inflammation began. Sixty days' use of Hyomei made nearly a complete recovery, which we consider very satisfactory after nearly four years of expense and fruitless treatment by other methods, and that we feel grateful to put it mild."

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home talent February 14.

The charity ball is set for February 9.

The business women of Evansville are making arrangements for their annual banquet.

Mr. Judd Acheson and family attended a reunion of the Acheson relatives at Magnolia on Saturday last.

Mr. S. Purinton delivered coal in his place on that day.

Mr. John Hendricks, Jr., is suffering from an attack of appendicitis.

Mrs. Le Baron will entertain the W. F. M. S. of the M. E. church on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Pullen of Des Moines have sent a check towards the sun being raised for the redecoration of the M. E. church of which they were so long members.

Mr. Charles Noyes, aged 65 years, was buried from his home on Saturday morning, January 8 at 10 o'clock.

NEWVILLE.

Newville, Jan. 30.—The weather for the past week has been as cold as we have had this winter, 10 to 15 below was reported several mornings.

The river has remained frozen up for five days,—something exceptional at this point.

Mr. Seibell is chopping down the timber in front of his house along the river.

George Richardson is busy hauling stone to Milton Junction for the walls of a new house.

Very little riding is reported around town of tobacco buyers, too cold or bad roads.

Fred Jennings of the creamery had his ice house filled to the roof recently.

The little children of the late Mr. and Mrs. Sels of Edgerton, whose deaths occurred lately, are being taken care of by Mr. and Mrs. Seibell.

The boys are getting rabbits quite fast around the country as between dogs, men and ferrets the rabbits stand a poor show.

Mr. Cap Sherman is riding around in a new Portland cutter these days.

The granary of Mr. Awfield was entered and a quantity of grain taken a few nights ago.

A flock of four ducks was seen passing over town one day last week.

George Richardson and Dick Barnes have been hauling snow on the bridge as the wind has blown nearly all the snow off. It would be a good thing for the town to hire some one to keep snow on as it is hard on teams with loads in crossing.

FOOTVILLE.

Footville, Jan. 30.—Mr. Fred Stapleton and family are moving back into Thomas Ogden's house.

Mr. John Brahney and wife are suffering with la grippe.

Mr. John Devins was very pleasantly surprised by a party of Royal Neighbors and M. W. A. last Wednesday evening. Refreshments were served and before taking their departure Mr. G. D. Silverthorn in a few well chosen words presented Mr. Devins with some pieces of china.

Col. Davis is suffering with the pneumonia.

John Grahagen was at Janesville Saturday evening.

Art Cain and family of Magnolia were the guests of H. Harper and family Sunday.

Undertaker F. W. Owen had charge of a funeral in Orfordville Sunday.

There will be a Mask Social at the hall Friday evening February 3 for the benefit of the band.

Wedding bells are soon to ring.

Harry De Jean was a business caller in town Monday.

Herman Albrecht is visiting his sister in Madison.

The Missionary Meeting of the M. E. church will be held with Mrs. Alex. Wiggins Wednesday.

Francis and Marguerite Bemis spent Sunday at Stoughton.

Mrs. Frank Diefahl was a caller at Mr. Witham's Sunday.

Tom Ogden and family and Mrs. Dean visited at Leslie Wilson's in Orfordville Sunday.

Mrs. Greenwalt is recovering from la grippe.

Florence Owen was a Janesville visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Connell are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby boy.

Mrs. George Townsend and Mrs. David Lowry called on F. R. Lowry Thursday.

Mr. Robt. Atchison called in Magnolia Saturday.

MILTON.

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W. B. Maxson is again on duty at his place of business.

FAIRFIELD.

Fairfield, January 30.—Miss Agnes More left last week for Beloit where she has accepted a position in the sixth and seventh grades in the Gaston school.

Ralph Whiting and James Allen of Lake Geneva were Monday callers in town.

Allan Dodge and James Cutler attended the poultry show at Delavan Friday.

Mrs. Laura Clowes entertained the L. T. S. Wednesday afternoon.

Arthur Clowes had the misfortune to cut his hand quite badly while repairing a pump Friday.

The social at Sidney Welch's last Friday evening was largely attended and a very pleasant time is reported.

Miss Jessie Corey spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents in Sharon.

Mrs. Wilson More is suffering with a very painful felon.

Quite a good deal of sickness prevails in this vicinity at present.

Charles Dykeman's family, Mrs. J. C. Putnam, Robert More, Jr., Edna Palmer and Mrs. Oscar Cheasbro are among those afflicted.

William Heming died Saturday last at his home southwest of here. Mrs. Heming, who was formerly Miss Lena Schrant, has many friends here who sympathize with her in her bereavement.

George Porter of Sharon was a caller in town Sunday.

George Reed, Lee Wright and Dave Seaver of Darien have been assisting A. Dodge with the invoicing.

The M. W. A. will give a dance in the hall Friday evening, February 3. Conroy's orchestra.

MAGNOLIA CENTER.

Magnolia Center, Jan. 30.—Mr. and Mrs. James Pepper of Center called on Mrs. Mary Pepper Monday.

Mr. Elmer McCoy, Mrs. Lottie Edwards and daughter Ella spent last Thursday in Albany.

Mrs. Nora Stetson is on the sick list. Also Mrs. Harry Bishop.

Misses Minnie and Ella Edward spent Sunday with Holly Weenes.

Mrs. Belle Townsend is suffering with grippe.

Miss Rita Townsend will entertain a few friends Thursday evening for her friend, Miss Emma Phelps, who expects to leave for the west soon.

The relatives of Tillie Atcheson took possession of her home Saturday and helped her celebrate her birthday in a way long to be remembered. A set of dishes and other useful presents were left as a memento of the occasion.

Mr. Lute and Elmore McCoy will deliver meat in Janesville Monday and Tuesday.

CENTER.

Center, Jan. 30.—John Roberts, who is teaching school in the town of Milton, spent Saturday and Sunday at his home in Center.

There will be a Candlemas Social at Otto Long's on Thursday evening, February 20. Look out for your shadow.

Mr. L. Sweeney of Iowa has been visiting at James Roberts' the past week.

J. P. Goldsmith delivered his crop of tobacco at Evansville Saturday.

Mrs. F. H. Fuller went to Beloit Saturday.

William Rouet is canvassing the town for the Graham Nursery of New York.

Mrs. Charles Craff who has been on the sick list the past week is able to be out again.

August Wilke has rented one of J. H. Fisher's tenant houses.

JANESVILLE.

Janesville, Jan. 30.—A number of neighbors and friends of Mr. and Mrs. James Cleland joined with them in the celebration of their golden wedding at their home last Saturday night. A beautiful supper was served by the daughters, the Misses Jane and Belle Cleland, during the evening.

John Flagler and wife spent Sunday.

The Cause of Many Sudden Deaths.

There is a disease prevailing in this country most dangerous because deceptive. Many sudden deaths are caused by it—heart disease, pneumonia, heart failure or apoplexy are often the result of kidney disease. If kidney trouble is allowed to advance the kidneys poison blood will attack the vital organs, causing catarrh of the bladder, or the kidneys themselves break down and waste away cell by cell. Bladder troubles almost always result from a derangement of the kidneys and a cure is obtained quickest by a proper treatment of the kidneys. If you are feeling badly you can make no mistake by taking Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

It corrects inability to hold urine and scalding pain in passing it, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to go often through the day, and to get up many times during the night. The mild and extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases.

Swamp-Root is pleasant to take and is sold by all druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles. You may have a sample bottle of this wonderful new discovery and a book that tells all about it, both sent free by mail. Address, Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

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day with relatives near Barker's Corners.

Joe Little attended a party in Footville last Friday evening.

Joseph Strunz and family spent Sunday at the home of Charles Bennett.

Lloyd Ingle entertained friends from the city Sunday.

W. S. Little attended the Burns celebration in the city Friday night.

Bernard Puhall and family entertained relatives from the city Sunday.

ROCK RIVER.

Rock River, Jan. 31.—Elmer and Herbert Crandall are cutting wood at N. M. Rose's this week.

There are twenty-three who are members of the singing class now and a good interest is manifested in the work.

About twenty-five of the friends of Byron Vincent gave him a surprise party Monday evening, January 3, in honor of his twenty-first birthday.

During the evening a fine fountain pen and also other gifts were presented to him as a token of friendship.

The evening was spent in music and games. All enjoying a few pleasant hours.

A fine baby boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Van Horn Monday, January 22.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Balch have arrived from Iowa, Kans., where they have been visiting Mr. Balch's sister.

Hattie Splitter, the little girl of Mr. and Mrs. John Splitter, died of pneumonia recently after a sickness of several days. The funeral was held at 1 o'clock at the house and later at the German Lutheran church at Edgerton. The parents have the sympathy of all in their affliction.

The oyster supper at Mr. and Mrs. Stennet Pierce was well attended, all having a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Jones of Sibley, Iowa, have returned to their home after a visit of several weeks here.

Miss Maggie Martenson of Milton spent Sunday with relatives here.

Carl Paul has been quite sick with the rheumatism but is now better.

Rose Thomas of Milton Junction is now staying with Mrs. Mary Fassett.

The S. D. B. quarterly meeting met with this church commencing Friday night, January 20, 7:30 p. m., with a sermon from James Skaggs of Milton, followed by a conference meeting. At 10:30 Sabbath day Elder Crandall filled the pulpit. At 3:00 p. m., a program was presented by the young people of the C. E. union as follows: A song by Miss Hattie Ingalls of Milton; a paper written by Mrs. Gertrude Whitford of Albion and read by Eld. T. J. Van Horn of Albion; a song by Mrs. Allen Davis and read by Mrs. Russell Frink and read by Eld. W. D. Wilcox who not being present, was read by James Skaggs; also a paper read by Miss Tracy Root. Sabbath evening at 7:30 Elder Crandall of Milton was not present to fill his appointment. Prof. Edwin Shaw of Milton took his place preaching on a very high sermon. Sunday morning, Elder T. J. Van Horn preached to a small congregation. Sunday afternoon the following program was presented: A paper on "Open Doors" by Prof. Shaw; a paper written by W. H. Ingaham of Milton and read by his son, also a paper by Prof. Thomas. As Prof. Fred Whitford was not present to fill his appointment, Jesse Hutchins filled his place by a paper on "Quartet Work." Sunday evening at 7:30 Elder Wilcox was not there to fill his appointment. Elder T. J. Van Horn kindly consented to preach. The people here listened to a very helpful sermon. The sessions throughout with the exception of Sabbath day were poorly attended by the delegates of our sister church. The Union and Milton Junction churches kindly closed their appointments which was appreciated by us. It is hoped that when the quarterly meeting meets with us again that the meetings to which we have always looked forward and which means so much to us, will be better attended and have the interest and help of those who should have an interest in our little church at Rock River.

HANOVER.

Hanover, Jan. 29.—Quite a large crowd attended the card party Thursday night. Those winning prizes were: Miss Gretchen Uebing, Herman Siebel and Frank Ross.

Ernest Wirtz is sick with the pneumonia.

A few from here attended the dance at Footville Friday night.

F. J. Kane has bought out Cal Jones' saloon in Janesville.

Quite a number from here are working in tobacco in Janesville.

There is going to be a dance at the M. W. of A. hall Thursday night, Feb. 2, 1905. Music by Leavers' Orchestra. All are cordially invited to attend.

G. J. Schaffner was a visitor in Janesville Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Dean and daughter of Ladysmith spent Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. C. Sheels.

P. M. Ehringer was a visitor in Janesville Friday.

Miss Roehl of Janesville spent Sunday here.

Almer Seidmore was in Beloit Friday on business.

Roy and Lorenz Eller of Janesville visited here Saturday.

E. G. Damerow came up from Beloit Saturday night.

E. A. Kane was in Janesville Saturday night.

BARKERS CORNERS.

Barker's Corners, January 30.—The Ladies' Aid Society meets this week on Thursday, February 2 with Mrs. Chas. Davis. Everybody come.

Miss Anna Kneeland spent over Sunday with Halcro Cross.

Miss K. Raby of Janesville spent last week at her parental home.

Rev. L. L. Thayer of Madison and Wm. Cox and wife of Indian Ford, spent Sunday at W. H. Taylor's.

Quite a number enjoyed a pleasant time at Charles Davis' last Wednesday night. Light refreshments were served.

Vern Lynch of Janesville spent a couple nights with Edna Shoemaker last week.

ROCK.

Rock, Jan. 31.—The many friends of Mrs. John Broderick, who has been quite ill of late, will be glad to learn that she is now much better.

Thos. Welch was out in this neighborhood last week inspecting tobacco

THE MINORITY

By FREDERICK TREVOR HILL

Author of "The Case and Exceptions," etc.

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CHAPTER IX.

Opposition had no terrors for Mr. Harlan. He expected it. He understood his business, and his business was to overcome it. Delays did not annoy him, difficulties did not discourage him, complications only gave him new zest for his task. He had never found



"YOU DON'T SEEM GLAD TO SEE ME."

anything worth doing which could be accomplished easily. He had often seen his most careful plans miscarry, but never without learning the reason, and with him the discovery of an error revealed the remedy. His success was built upon that solid concrete of mistakes, surprises, and corrections which we call experience.

It was with no novel sensations, then, that Mr. Harlan returned to his house, and seating himself in the easy-chair of his library proceeded to work out the secret of his failure with John Kennard, for at the outset he admitted he had failed completely. There was no necessity for deceiving himself. He and his easy-chair had solved many another puzzle, remedied many another mistake. It was ten o'clock—still early in the evening for Joshua Harlan. He rang the bell, ordered the butler to bring whisky and soda, and then dismissed him for the night.

Mr. Harlan filled a long glass with whisky and soda and began working at the problem.

Who and what was this Kennard, anyway? A man who had found his business prepared and ready for his hand, who had never had to work his way up or experience set-back and failure. It had all been such plain sailing that he had had leisure to theorize and indulge his theories, coddling his workmen and playing with economic nostrums until the sentimentalism in him was satisfied and his self-sufficiency complete. Let him experience one year of real competition with no nonsense about it, and the superior smile would be on the other side of his mouth. Perhaps Trundell could be made to see this yet, and, if so, the amateur economist might have his pet theories tested and the cut-and-dried systems disarranged in a way he little dreamed of. He had been inclined to work with rather than against young Kennard, but if that individual thought the man who engineered the Milling Companies' deal "ridiculous," it was plain they were an ill-assorted couple. If—

Mr. Harlan started as he heard the door-bell ring, and realized as he rose to answer the summons for the first time in many years he had worked himself into quite a temper.

The butler had not yet retired, and when his master reached the hall the man handed him a card with the name Peter McManis printed in flourished script.

"Show him in and then go to bed, Perkins. I'll close up."

Mr. Harlan threw himself into his chair with a muttered oath, lit a cigar and picked up the evening paper. He was still reading when his visitor was ushered in, and a curt nod was all the greeting he vouchsafed.

But McManis seemed unabashed by the lack of welcome. He nodded in return, and while the servant moved about the room arranging the cigars and glasses, he stood with his back to the fire stroking his black mustache, which had acquired an oily look and a drooping curl at either end. His hair, which was plastered in little scallops over his forehead and deeply parted from the back of his head, bore

evidence of the cheap barbers' manipulation. The whole appearance of the man had undergone a transformation since his last visit. Every weak line in his face showed plainly, and his rough, coarse features had been tempered until his whole personality fairly reeked with brutal vulgarity.

"Well, Josh," he began affably, as the butler closed the door. "You don't seem glad to see me."

"Didn't I tell you not to call here again?"

The answer came from behind Mr. Harlan's newspaper.

"So you did. But what's the diff? I don't come at reception hours or ask to meet your daughter, do I?"

Mr. Harlan slapped his paper together and smashed it down upon the table.

"You must be drunk!" he muttered.

McManis laughed.

"Damned if I don't think I am," he retorted, "but you're the winner by it this time."

He stepped toward his host as he spoke and tossed a roll of bills upon the table.

"What's that?"

"The 50 plunks I owe you. Don't faint, old man. They're the genuine green."

"Then you got—"

"Elected." Sure, Mike. I don't promise to pay you all I owe you. I don't even know what it is, but I said I'd give up this, and, hell—it was worth it to see you jump!"

McManis helped himself to a cigar, bit the end off, and spat it out in a sputter of laughter.

Mr. Harlan glanced suspiciously at the man, slowly gathered up the bills, and stuffed them into his pocket without a word.

Then he leaned forward, relit his cigar over the lamp, and sat staring at his visitor.

"You got a good job?"

The words were a statement rather than an inquiry.

"Yes, better than I expected, and we might have a drink on it," he added, eyeing the bottles with a grin.

"What is it?"

"Whisky, of course."

Mr. Harlan's face relaxed for an instant, but became rigid again as he pushed the bottles forward.

"I meant what job did you get. I thought you'd quit drinking."

"So I have, but this in an occasion. If we wait till you get another dividend it'll be a long time between drinks. Wish you may live till then, Josh."

He poured out a generous portion of raw liquor, smelt it off with a peculiar jerk of his neck, following it up with a swallow of water.

"That's my third to-day—honest count and polls closed to-night," he vouchsafed, as he wiped his mouth on the back of his hand and picked up his half-chewed cigar.

Mr. Harlan lifted a paper-knife from the table, tried its edge absent-mindedly, and then sat silent, bending the blade back and forth between his fingers. McManis watched him with a broad grin on his shiny face, but spoke no word.

"What is your job?"

The question was sullen and disdainful.

"A snap—a soft snap. Chief of the walking delegates you might call it, though it's known as assistant high workman. Say, but that's good liquor, Josh! Funny such a good hand at buying it don't have no real taste for it. And since you press me so cordial, Josh, I guess I'll take one more teapoonful."

He poured out another deep drink, and gulped it down with a "here's how!" and a shuddering exhalation of breath like a man in a bitter-cold wind. Then he rubbed his hands together, struck a match on his trouser leg, started to light his cigar, but burst out laughing as he noted Harlan's bored and contemptuous glance.

"Say, what's the matter with you, Josh!" he exclaimed. "You're as huffy as hell, and look as glum as Dejan's goat when she swallows the tin-can crossways. Take a drink. Have one on me, and stop chewing the rag for five minutes anyhow. Gosh, but you do look silly!"

McManis broke into another spasm of merriment, quieted down, wiped his eyes, and then glancing at Mr. Harlan's solemn, unmoved countenance, burst forth again into peal upon peal of laughter, until the tears ran down his face and he had to seat himself for very weakness.

"What is the—or—the chief of walking delegates expected to do?"

The question was asked contemptuously and with weary indifference, but McManis in his social mood welcomed it eagerly.

"What does he do?" he responded, jocularly. "What won't he do when I'm at? That's the question to ask, Josh Harlan. I've been waiting for a chance like this for years, and now I've got it. I'll work it, you bet. Say, do you know how many men's—how many men there are in our association?"

Mr. Harlan shook his head.

"Well, I'll tell you," McManis drew his chair closer to his host and leaned forward confidentially, pouring out another drink of whisky as he talked. "There's—there's more than 25,000 in it, and not more than ten or a dozen ahead of me. Now d'ye see where I'm at? Maybe you think the organization won't take care of me now?"

Maybe I won't control a bunch of votes worth having, and maybe I don't know the market value of 'em, neither. They thought they'd stall me at Philadelphia for up the state—but not much! New York city's my mound, and I'm here to stay."

He paused to swallow another drink, and then proceeded in an uglier tone, his language coarsening as his tongue loosened.

"Yes, and I'm goin' to make some of these companies set up and count, you bet. Oh, I see you staring at me, out your old milling company is all right. That's what comes of having a

friend at court, Josh, for I bet you're as rotten as punk. But say, to see you sittin' over there," McManis straightened himself and mimicked his host's manner with a drunken leer. "One would never think you could touch anything tougher than a cushion. But I know you, you old wood-faced mutt—you're two tricks a day, I bet, and are doin' two tricks a day, I bet. I wish I knew a few of them. Damned if I wouldn't come and pay up so's I could give you away and see you squirm!"

McManis paused to laugh at this picture, pointing at Mr. Harlan and rocking himself to and fro in an ecstasy of mirth, which ended in a knocking of his eyes and a long blast on his handkerchief.

"Well, well," he panted at last. "You've stood by me some, Josh, while others have done me dirt, and I don't guess I'll forget anybody. I've been walked on enough to see there's nothing in playin' carpet, and now I'm goin' to try a few steps myself. S-shay—say, but I've been trod on so long, it seems kinder natural to lie down when anybody gets in my way. Just before I went to Philadelphia I was actin' delegate in the out-of-town district, and got orders to look up a fellow who keeps one of those model factories on the river. It was way off down the Hudson, so I telephoned him I was coming, but never got no answer, and when I got there the guy wouldn't see me and I actually vamoosed. Say, but you oughter heard the way the fellows horsed me about that! The idea of a delegate lettin' himself be turned down got them. But that comes of gettin' used to bein' pavement. Next time I call, my bird'll see me all right, all right. And I call soon! I won't do a chug-bug roast him, you bet! Kennard's his name—ever heard of him? Say, did I tell you what I was workin' to get from the organization?" he rattled on. "Well, I'm layin' to have a friend of mine appointed factory inspector, and if I do, the rake-off won't be a thing to do. I can pick up on the side. Those fellows has the power to file papers against the companies, and make 'em come near building their buildings over again in comply'n with the law. I'd work in great with the delegate business. Now, f' instance, suppose you—suppose you had a factory—S-say, are you listenin', you frozen-faced goat?"

Yes, Mr. Harlan was listening.

(To be Continued.)

Rheumatism

Like Neuralgia, is now known to be a nervous disease. The kidneys become weak through lack of nerve energy, and fail to filter the uric acid from the blood; this acid attacks and burns the nerves and muscles, and consumes the oil in the joints, producing inflammation, fever, swelling—pain.

To cure Rheumatism, then, you must restore the kidney nerves and muscles, and neutralize the effect of the acid upon the joints and tissues with Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine, a nerve medicine, which has made many cures of this painful disease. Nervine strengthens the kidney nerves and increases the circulation, and relief is assured.

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ENORMOUS COAL DEAL IS MADE

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Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 31.—The largest coal deal ever known in Indiana was closed up when J. K. Dering & Co., Chicago coal operators, came into possession of some of the richest coal land in Sullivan, Vermilion and Vigo counties, along the line of the Chicago & Eastern Illinois. John S. Bays of Sullivan was reluctant about discussing the terms of the deal, but admitted that he had been in Chicago on this business. The land belonged largely to the United States Steel corporation.

JEALOUS WIFE SHOTS HERSELF

Actress is Expected to Die as Result of Third Attempt at Suicide.

New York, Jan. 31.—Becoming tired of life because of jealousy, Mrs. Eva Cohen, actress, wife of William Cohen, theatrical agent, shot herself and is in Bellevue hospital in a critical condition. It was her third attempt at suicide and the doctors say it will be successful. Mrs. Cohen is 30 years of age and was born in Canada. Jealousy of her husband, it is said, prompted the act.

PET DOG SPREADS SMALLPOX

Village of Smithfield, Ill., Is Plagued Stricken and Isolated.

Bloomington, Ill., Jan. 31.—The smallpox situation at Canton and East Smithfield, a small place near Canton, is serious. Owen Smith is dead and his brother William is dying from the disease. Twenty-five cases exist in the little village and the entire place is quarantined. Contagion was spread by a pet dog climbing on the bed of one of the sufferers and then running at large.

Animals Perish in Fire.

Kokomo, Ind., Jan. 31.—The barn of William Devore, eight miles east of Kokomo, was destroyed by fire. Six horses and three cows perished in the flames. Eight months ago Devore lost another barn by fire. Both fires are believed to be of incendiary origin.

Gas Overcomes Congregation.

Wellsville, Ohio, Jan. 31.—While attending services at the Oakland Free Methodist Episcopal church eight persons were overcome by escaping gas. More than seventy-five people were in the church and practically all were made ill.

Escapes From Peoria Jail.

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 31.—One prisoner has escaped in a daring attempt at wholesale jail delivery at the Peoria county jail. Officers fired five shots at him which went wild.

Ministerial Ban on Divorcees.

Sandusky, Ohio, Jan. 31.—The ministers of Sandusky, Huron, Milan, Vermilion, Berlin Heights and other towns have combined to prevent the marrying of divorcees.

Uncle Jasper's Philosophy.

"Dey say dat big ears am de sign ob generosity," remarked Uncle Jasper, "but no one ever heard ob de mule gibing you anything but his feet."

Monument for Supposed Inventor.

A monument is to be erected in Nuremberg to Peter Henlein, the supposed inventor of the watch who died in 1540.

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Home Health Club

By DAVID H. REEDER, Ph.D., M.D.
La Porte, Ind.

Returning to the question of foods and the various food compositions, the subject will be treated in, perhaps, a little more technical manner than has been my custom heretofore, when discussing such subjects. The reason I now treat the matter in a more scientific manner is that I believe that most of you have so far advanced in the study of dietetics and hygiene that you will gladly go more deeply into the physiological and chemical action of certain food products.

For instance, by a careful chemical analysis of the materials which are found best to agree with a human being, it is found that the average daily ration of an adult should contain elements about as follows:

Water, five and a half pounds; albuminoids, four ounces; starch, sugar, etc., 11 ounces; fats, three ounces; common salt, 325 grains; phosphates, potash, salts, etc., 170 grains.

Thus we find by a slight calculation that the daily average amount of food required is a little less than seven pounds, or, by actual weight, and getting even more exact than the previous figures, six pounds, 13 ounces, and 123 grains. And of this amount only one pound four ounces and 225 grains is actual dry food substance, the balance of over five and a half pounds being water. As a matter of fact, however, in actual practice, the amount of dry food substance will exceed the amount estimated by a few ounces, as in the preparation of our foods there is always a portion that is not included in the elements named. In a mixed diet of fruits, nuts, vegetables and meats there is always more or less fibrous material, called cellulose and lignose, in proportions of the plants upon which we depend largely for food. There is also in most foods of this nature coloring matter, which has, of course, little or no food value.

Even in animal food there are connective tissues, membranous and gelatine present, but these things are not necessarily taken into consideration when estimating the essentials of our daily supply. So then, in order to supply the necessary elements for a day's ration, let us consider such foods as may be readily obtained in most homes, and weigh out the proper amount, and it is found to be about as follows:

Bread, 18 ounces; butter, one ounce; milk, four ounces; bacon, two ounces; potatoes, eight ounces; cabbage, six ounces; cheese, three and one-half ounces; sugar, one ounce; salt, three-fourths of an ounce; liquids, such as tea, coffee, beer, etc., 6 3/4 ounces.

Now it must not be supposed, because I have enumerated bread, beer, tea and coffee, that I in any way approve of these articles, but merely that I find these articles mentioned in nearly all the dietaries of European experiments, and many of the American, as well. My own experiments go to prove that the first two articles are more of detriment than benefit, and I can also say the same of tea and coffee.

Almond nuts supply a better and cheaper heat and fat producing substance than bacon; and pure water, fruit juices and milk are a more healthful and wholesome, as well as palatable, drink than tea, coffee or beer.

It is found by experiment that the chemical elements which go to make up the list of foods I have just given can be separated and returned into one dish, so that the same relative food value is obtained, but there is lacking one of the most important elements, and one which the skill of man cannot supply, and that is the element which appeals to the sense of taste. Gustatory enjoyment is a necessary thing, as the gastric juices refuse to secrete unless the food has taste.

A skillful chemist could compound a mixture which would have all of the elements of a peach, or a pear, just the same as one skilled in such work can manufacture artificial flowers with which to trim the ladies' hats, but the artificial flowers lack the elements of life and odor, and the manufactured food lacks the element of taste and life.

Experiments show that a dog fed upon such foods as contains merely the chemical elements of food unorganized, will in time starve to death; so also would a human being. Our food, in order to do us the most good, must be palatable, and in a normal condition should be eaten with relish; then do we get the greatest amount of nourishment from it.

Flavor and taste of food are, as I have stated, the elements which stimulate the secretion of saliva and gastric juices whereby the digestion is readily accomplished, and it is thus assimilated and becomes a part of the body.

Of course it must not be understood that a chemically prepared food will not in any way preserve life, for such is not the case. Many times, in emergencies and during sickness or surgical operations, or for short periods, some patients are much better off by being confined to a very monotonous diet, indeed, and in some cases, where it is absolutely repulsive; in other cases the elements of taste do not at all enter into the diet, as the food is injected into the stomach either through a tube or through an opening made for that purpose. In other cases nutrient enemata is resorted to, for days, and even weeks, and then the food does not enter the stomach at all. In such cases it is necessary that the chemical elements be closely considered, and that the food be prepared with scientific accuracy.

THE LUNGS.

A recent article in the Posse Gymnasium Journal, by Richard Timberge, of Stockholm, is well worth careful study. Among other things he says: "The mechanism of breathing is impeded in action by the leaning posture.

The most important respiratory muscle in the body is the diaphragm, the flat muscle which divides the chest from the abdomen. In leaning forward, the abdomen is compressed, and the movement of the diaphragm hindered, causing the act of inhalation to become less deep, and the whole breathing shallow and inefficient. The action of the heart, as well as that of breathing, is disturbed, and the internal organs become overcharged with sluggishly flowing blood, to the detriment of their activity. The development of the organs of breathing receives a marked check from lack of bodily exercise. When during the years of growth, day after day for hours at a stretch, the act of breathing is performed with subdued power, superficially and feebly, without a full expansion of the lungs and chest, a poor development of these organs ensues, resulting in a flat, sunken and immobile chest. This is a sign of weakness in those parts which may even indicate a tendency to lung disease. The sluggish circulation through the abdominal organs, caused by their compressed condition when the body is continually bent forward, is, no doubt, very often solely responsible for many a school child's persistent indigestion.

CLUB NOTES.

Chapped Hands.—A number of letters received ask for the best method of keeping the hands from chapping.

At this season of the year, when there is still so much out-door work to be done which one can best do with the bare hands, it seems difficult to prevent chapping. It can be done, however, by washing the hands thoroughly clean at night after the day's work is finished, in warm water, using soap and a scrubbing brush freely, until all dirt is removed from the lines and knuckles, and then rinse in cold water, removing all traces of soap, and then rubbing thoroughly into the skin of all portions of the hands, a mixture of one-half glycerine and one-half witch hazel extract. If the hands are naturally hard and inclined to chap whenever exposed to the wind, rinse the soap off with good strong vinegar, as strong as you can get, and dry before the fire. Then apply the glycerine and witch hazel.

This will make the skin of the hands soft and pliable. I am speaking from personal experience, as I have husked many a wagon load of corn; when the early morning frosts would make my hands chap and bleed.

Broadhead.—Dr. David H. Reeder, La Porte, Ind.—Dear Doctor: I am a reader of the Home Health club lectures, and enjoy them very much. I am troubled with the swelling of the glands under my chin. They begin to swell as soon as the cold weather sets in. I have used iodine, but that has had no effect whatever. Please advise me what to do for it. Yours truly, P. H.

Follow carefully the directions recently given for the home treatment of scrofula. Keep the bowels free from obstruction and all of the organs of elimination action. Drink freely of pure water. Masticate all of the food thoroughly; avoid pork, tea and coffee, as well as pickles, and you will note a great improvement.

All communications for the Home Health club should be addressed to Dr. David H. Reeder, La Porte, Ind., and contain name and address in full, and at least four cents in postage.

INDIANS' 'MAY BE SO.'

Their Use of the Phrase 'Cost a White Man the Allotment of a Farm.'

The phrase "maybe so" is of as common use among Indians as "don't you know" among Englishmen, says the Kansas City (Mo.) Journal. According to a story told by H. R. Blanding, United States commissioner, this Indian phrase prevented the interior department from giving a man 160 acres of land. Judge Blanding gives the facts and the history in the case.

Before the opening of the Kiowa-Comanche country to settlement, the department sent representatives there to ascertain the actual number of Indians in order that provision might be made for their allotments. Among the Indians they found Herman Lehmann, a German-American who was captured when a small boy by the Comanche Indians in Texas and has been with them ever since. He made application for an allotment and the matter was taken under consideration by the officials.

In order that they might determine that no fraud was being perpetrated they required the testimony of Indians to substantiate the fact of Lehmann's capture and his abode with the tribe. In giving their testimony the Indians made frequent use of the term "maybe so" in such expressions as: "Maybe so he was captured by the Comanches." "Maybe so he is, Quannah Parker's son." This testimony was taken by stenographers and typewriters and then transmitted to the secretary. The department officials, in Washington did not understand, the peculiarity of the Indian speech and took these expressions to mean that the Indians were not sure about what they said. Lehmann was, therefore, refused an allotment.

If He Looked as He'd Feel.

Tom—Are you going to the ball, too? Dick—Yes, I've got to. "So am I. I'll look for you there." "Better bring a magnifying glass with you, then. I'm booked to take Miss Hutton, of Boston."—Palladium Press.

Suspicious.

Jasper—I often wonder why Jenkins is not more popular, for he is the most polite man I know.

Jump—That is just the trouble. He is so confoundingly polite he leaves the impression that he wants to borrow money.—Town Topics.

Buy it in Janesville.

ENJOYS THE MOMENT

CUBAN PEASANT HAS NO FEAR OF THE MORROW.

Fertile Land and Tropical Climate Can Be Relied On to Furnish His Every Need—Many Good Points in His Character.

(Special Correspondence.)

One of the first things that an American who visits Cuba learns is that many things he previously learned are not true. For instance, before I went there I was wont to picture to myself the Cuban girl in a balcony, a mandilla falling in graceful folds about her face, listening to the tinkling mandolin that her lover was playing in the street below. Perhaps you have pictured the same scene yourself, but you'll never see it in Cuba. Girls in Cuba seldom wear mantillas. As for the mandolin, that instrument is more popular in this country than in Cuba, and the lover—or anybody else—who should attempt a serenade under a lady's window would be promptly told to move on by the police. As a matter of fact, the sidewalks of Havana are so narrow that there is a law forbidding one to obstruct the walk by merely standing still.

Cubans do not invariably go to sleep in the middle of the day.

The Cuban has no romantic notions about a hammock. In the cities one seldom sees a hammock at all, but the Cuban peasant—or gaucho, as he is called—frequently uses a hammock to sleep in at night. When he gets up in the morning he rolls it up and puts it away out of sight.

The great majority of Cubans are engaged in agricultural pursuits and nature is very kind to the Cuban farmer. He does not have to work as hard as does the farmer of our own country in order to support himself and family. Someone has said of this fertile island: "Tickle the land with a hoe and it laughs with a harvest." There is no unproductive season in Cuba. No necessity of providing for the future. The Cuban gathers a crop of corn in the winter in addition to the crop he gathers in the summer. His kitchen garden yields its vegetables perennially. His cattle graze the year round on grass that is perpetually green. If the Cuban takes no thought of the morrow it is because he has learned that to-morrow and the day after and all days will be as yesterday and to-day.

Peasants' Wants Are Few.

The Cuban peasant has never learned to read and has therefore no desire for money to purchase books or periodicals, his craving for art is satisfied by a gaudy patent medicine calendar, and when his soul yearns for music he makes it himself on an empty olive keg, covered with a deer skin, or on a gourd with an artificially roughened surface, which, when scraped with a steel wire gives forth a sound similar to that produced by drawing a lash rapidly along a picket fence.

The family of the Cuban farmer is often numerous, but his household expenses are few. The house itself he built with his own hands and palm trees furnished nearly all of the material used in its construction. No saw or hammer was employed in erecting it. The posts and poles used in making the framework of the house were chopped into shape with a machete and bound together by stout vines that grow wild in the woods. The roof is thatched with palm leaves. The sides are covered with strips of yagua, a tough pellicle that binds the leaves of the royal palm to the trunk of the tree. When there is a floor, which is not often, it is made of the hard outer shell of the royal palm split into narrow strips.

Bills for fuel or ice do not enter into the economy of the Cuban farmer's household. The suit of cotton cloth he wears in July serves him also in December. He wears a belt in preference to suspenders, and he refuses to tuck his shirt into his trousers, but wears it like a kimono. The Cuban peasant is superstitious and he will gamble his last cent on a cock fight



Old Egyptian Wooden Plow, Still Used by Poor Cubans.

and yet I confess to a fondness for the gaucho. At bottom he is a good fellow—good natured, as simple as a child and hospitable to a fault. When you ride up to his door he tells you that the house is yours, and sets before you the best his modest larder affords. When you leave him it is often difficult to make him accept anything in payment for his hospitality.

Inherent Love of Gambling.

The passion for gambling is strong in the Cuban. He will bet on anything, but prefers to stake his money on cards and gamecocks. Cock fighting, which is now forbidden by law, was for generations the national sport of the Cubans, and if the matter were

left to the popular vote I think they would go back to it, just as they would go back to the lottery.

The lottery that the Spaniards maintained in Cuba was a national lottery, and the government derived a large revenue from its operation. It was supported by the poor, and though it robbed them of their substance, it enabled them to live.



Typical Dray.

(Santiago.) abled them, they say, to forget that they were poor, or at least to hope that they would not be so poor always. One woman—she worked in a cigar factory and earned 50 cents a day stripping tobacco—told me that she had bought a lottery ticket, which costs 20 cents, every month, ever since she was a little girl, and that although she had never won anything she would begin buying them to-mor-

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Others at 48, 50, 60, 65, 75c that were \$1.00 to \$2.00. There are so many different kinds of dress goods in the sale that one can find something for any occasion. Good for **full suits**, for **waists**, or for **skirts**, and the way women sailed into them Saturday, Jan. 28th, the opening day of the **Great Sale**, was a caution. **Why are we doing it?** Because we have too many dress goods and are taking a big loss to **Reduce Stock.**

See the Suits Women's and misses', all colors, excellent cloths, nicely trimmed, worth \$8 to \$30, at **\$3.00, \$4.00, \$8.00, \$12.00.**

Rich Fancy Velvets at 58c. **Plain Velvets**, silk face, all colors, at **35c.** **Silks**, plain and fancy, at **39c.** **Walking Skirts, \$2.00.** **Wool Shirt Waists, 78c.** **Lace Curtains**, edges slightly soiled, were \$4 and \$4.50, at **\$1.98, \$2.48, \$2.78.** **OTHER GOODS ON SALE are Heavy Tapestry, 50 inch, at 45c, 50c, 65c, 75c.** **Fancy Denim, Cretcne, Table Covers, Curtain Net, Dress Linings, Flannelette Dress Goods, Percales—36 inch, 6c; Hose, fast black, 5c; Men's Socks, Golf Gloves, Muslin Underwear, Silk Waists, Embroideries, Sheetting, Gingham, Toweling, Print, Outing Flannel, &c.**

The Biggest Sale Ever Held In Janesville.

PEOPLE ARE FAST WAKING UP TO THE FACT THAT THIS IS AN UNUSUAL EVENT.

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row if she could.

"And while I was waiting for the drawing to take place," she said, "I could always hope that I was going to win a prize. Now I can't even hope. Isn't it worth 20 cents a month to be able to hope?"

Strength of Family Ties.

The family tie is very strong in Cuba. Even the poor extend the scanty aid they can to relatives more unfortunate than themselves. I remember an incident that illustrates this trait of Cuban character. At a coast town I saw a poor shoemaker whose widowed sister had recently died in another town, leaving two little girls. The mayor of the town had written to the shoemaker telling him that it had been the mother's wish that he should take the children under his protection, but that if he did not feel able to assume this additional burden the children, whose father had died in the war, were entitled to the protection of the asylum for soldiers' orphans. The large family that he had at home would be a severe tax on the shoemaker's scanty means; but his sense of duty and family pride were strong, and he came to the seaport to meet the children, who were coming by the boat.

I saw the meeting between the little girls and their uncle. The children, two little figures in rusty black, were seated on a pile of lumber on the lower deck, the elder—a girl of perhaps 10 years of age—feeding the younger

with some boiled rice that they had brought with them on their journey. They were pointed out to their uncle, who had never before seen them. He walked over to where they were seated and said:

"Are you the children of so-and-so (mentioning the mother's name)?"

"Yes, sir," the elder of the two girls replied.

"I am your uncle," said the shoemaker.

The little girl arose without a word and, taking the man's rough hand in hers, raised it reverently to her lips. Then she motioned to the younger girl, who, as silently as the other, pressed her lips to the hand of this man, who, although a stranger, was yet of their blood.

There was no show of affection on either side. The little drama that was being played had for its motive not love, but duty.

Earthquakes and Weather.

It was on the veranda of a hotel, and the young men were trying to be agreeable to the young women. How it happened nobody could imagine, but the talk shifted from clothes and other people's meals to the premature weather. Then one of the mothers chimed in: "They do say that earthquakes make the cool spells."

"Earthquakes?" asked a young collegian.

"Why, I saw in one of the papers that those earthquakes a couple of years ago did it."

"Ah, you mean the volcanic eruptions in the West Indies."

"No, I mean the earthquakes in one of those islands where they killed so many people."

"Martinique, possibly."

"That's it; the earthquakes in Martinique."

And then the student began to talk about how hard the examinations were.

Nearly Drowned by Kangaroo.

While chasing a full-grown male kangaroo at Reedy Creek, Victoria, a local resident was suddenly seized by the animal and ducked repeatedly in the water, being only saved from death by the courage of his dog, who finally put the kangaroo to flight.

Singular Wedding Present.

Miss Masters and Mr. Booth of Congleton, Eng., received a novel wedding present recently. The sisters of the bride presented them with a silver casket containing eight hundred three-penny bits.

Real Worry.

When a woman can't find anything else to worry about she can do it about whether the baby is going to wear side burn whiskers when he grows up.—New York Press.

The Law of Supply and Demand. If nobody ever listened to scandal, nobody would ever talk of it.—Somerville Journal.